

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910617310803321
Titolo	Rights and the city : problems, progress, and practice // edited by Sandeep Agrawal
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Edmonton : , : University of Alberta Press, , 2022 ©2022
ISBN	9781772126709 9781772126716
Edizione	[First edition]
Descrizione fisica	1 electronic resource (272 pages)
Disciplina	307.1/216
Soggetti	Urban communities Població urbana - Drets civils Urbanisme - Aspectes socials Política urbana
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Nota di contenuto	Frontmatter -- Contents -- Acknowledgments -- Introduction -- I: The Right to the City -- 1. Whose Right to What City? -- 2. The Right to the City as an Emerging Norm -- II. Rights in the City -- 3. Human Rights and the City in the Pre-Charter Era -- 4. Group Rights and Collective Rights -- 5. Human Rights and Canadian Municipalities -- 6. Becoming a Human Rights City -- III. Other Rights in the City -- 7. The Right to Adequate Housing Around the Globe -- 8. Property Rights and the Canadian City -- 9. The Dangers of Allowing "Othering" Speech in a City's Public Spaces -- Afterword: After Rights? -- Contributors
Sommario/riassunto	Rights and the City takes stock of rights struggles and progress in cities by exploring the tensions that exist between different concepts of rights. Sandeep Agrawal and the volume's contributors expose the paradoxes that planners and municipal governments face when attempting not only to combat discriminatory practices, but also advance a human rights agenda. The authors examine the legal, conceptual, and philosophical aspects of rights, including its various forms-human, Indigenous, housing, property rights, and various other forms of rights. Using empirical evidence and examples, they translate

the philosophical and legal aspects of rights into more practical terms and applications. Regionally, the book draws on municipalities from across Canada while also making broad international comparisons. Scholars, policy makers, and activists with an interest in urban studies, planning, and law will find much of value throughout this volume. Contributors: Sandeep Agrawal, Rachelle Alterman, Sasha Best, Alexandra Flynn, Eran S. Kaplinsky, Ola P. Malik, Jennifer A. Orange, Michelle L. Oren, Renée Vaugeois. Afterword by Benjamin Davy
