1. Record Nr. UNINA9910779070803321 Autore Cohen Aryeh Titolo Justice in the city [[electronic resource] /] / Aryeh Cohen Boston, : Academic Studies Press, 2012 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-61811-111-6 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (172 p.) Collana New perspectives in post-Rabbinic Judaism 296.36 Disciplina Soggetti Judaism and social problems Justice (Jewish theology) Social justice - Religious aspects - Judaism Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Bibliographic Level Mode of Issuance: Monograph Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Frontmatter -- Contents -- Acknowledgments -- Introduction -- Part I Nota di contenuto -- Part II -- Bibliography -- Index Justice in the City argues, based on the rabbinic textual tradition. Sommario/riassunto especially the Babylonian Talmud, and utilizing French Jewish philosopher Emmanuel Levinas' framework of interpersonal ethics, that a just city should be a community of obligation. That is, in a community thus conceived, the privilege of citizenship is the assumption of the obligations of the city towards Others who are not always in viewworkers, the poor, the homeless. These Others form a constitutive part of the city. The second part of the book is a close analysis of homelessness, labor, and restorative justice from within the theory that

was developed. This title will be useful for scholars and students in Jewish studies, especially rabbinic literature and Jewish thought, but

also for those interested in contemporary urban issues.