Record Nr. UNINA9910791197503321 Autore Raymond Leigh Stafford Titolo Private rights in public resources: equity and property allocation in market-based environmental policy / / Leigh Raymond Washington, D.C.:,: Resources for the Future,, 2003 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-136-52626-9 1-891853-68-6 1-936331-27-6 1-136-52627-7 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (264 p.) Disciplina 333.16 Soggetti Public lands - United States Concessions - United States Interest (Ownership rights) - United States Right of property - United States Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Cover; Title Page; Copyright Page; Series Page; Table of Contents; Nota di contenuto Dedication: Preface: Introduction: 1 The Politics of Licensed Property: 2 A Property Theory Framework; 3 Allocating SO2 Emissions Allowances, 1989 - 1990; 4 Allocating Public Lands Forage, 1934 - 1938; 5 Allocating Greenhouse Gas Emissions, 1992 - 1997; 6 The Importance of Equity; Notes; Bibliography; Index; About the Author Privatizing public resources by creating stronger property rights. Sommario/riassunto including so-called rights to pollute, is an increasingly popular environmental policy option. While advocates of this type of marketbased environmental policy tend to focus on its efficiency and ecological implications, such policies also raise important considerations of equity and distributive justice. Private Rights in Public Resources confronts these ethical implications directly, balancing political theory and philosophy with detailed analysis of the politics surrounding three important policy instruments--the Kyoto Prot