Transport, Climate Change and the City: Tackling Urban Emissions and Building Sustainable Futures

Transport is a major contributor to climate change, accounting for around 23% of global greenhouse gas emissions. In cities, transport is often the largest source of air pollution, contributing to respiratory illnesses and other health problems. It is also a major source of noise pollution and congestion, which can have a negative impact on quality of life.



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The good news is that there are many ways to reduce transport emissions and create more sustainable urban environments. This book provides a comprehensive overview of the latest research and best practices in transport climate change mitigation. It is an essential resource for anyone working in transportation planning, urban planning, or climate change policy.

Key Features

* Provides a comprehensive overview of the latest research and best practices in transport climate change mitigation * Explores the crucial role of transportation in addressing climate change in cities * Offers evidence-based strategies and innovative approaches to reduce urban emissions and create sustainable urban environments * Covers a wide range of topics, including: * Transportation planning and policy * Air pollution and greenhouse gas emissions * Public transit and active transport * Low-carbon transport technologies * Urban mobility and accessibility * Climate change mitigation and adaptation

Target Audience

This book is intended for a wide audience, including:

* Transportation planners and engineers * Urban planners and policymakers * Climate change scientists and policymakers * Researchers and students in transportation, urban planning, and climate change

Author Biography

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"This book is a timely and important contribution to the field of transport climate change mitigation. It provides a wealth of information and insights that will be invaluable to researchers, policymakers, and practitioners working to create more sustainable urban environments." - **Dr. Rachel Weinhold, University of Washington**

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