



HAPPY CITY DECLARATION: AMARAVATI 2018

Governance

**Built
Environment**

**Natural
Environment**

**Economy &
Livelihoods**

**Culture &
Community**

**Physical &
Mental Wellbeing**



1. GOVERNANCE

- A governance system that is well integrated across all sectors and responsive to citizen concerns
- ...that leverages the power of data and technology to inform policy actively and continuously
- ...and engages with citizens on planning, administering and improving city performance



2. BUILT ENVIRONMENT

- A built environment that is climatically and culturally appropriate, which nurtures an inclusive, sustainable and enjoyable lifestyle for all residents
- ...which is connected through public and non-motorized transport, and places walkability at the top of the mobility pyramid...
- ...and includes housing which is welcoming, accessible and affordable, accessible, and is designed for the human scale



3. NATURAL ENVIRONMENT

- A natural environment that is clean and green, including parks, rivers, forests, hills and a wider ecological system that sustains and enhances biodiversity
- ...which provides a sense of calm and spiritual connection for residents
- ...and is integrated with the daily lives of residents, who collectively take ownership for its conservation



4. ECONOMY & LIVELIHOODS

- Economy and livelihoods that support decent jobs and a sense of purpose
- ...which produces material and cultural wealth for citizens across socio-economic classes
- ...and encourages local enterprise, creativity, and innovation



5. CULTURE & COMMUNITY

- Culture and community that embraces diversity, fosters a sense of belonging and compassion towards it
- ...which is rooted in our past traditions and knowledge but embraces the future
- ...and enables individual and collective expression of self through the arts



6. PHYSICAL & MENTAL WELLBEING

- Physical and mental wellbeing that is promoted through the daily choices of residents and policies of government
- ...that is improved through healthy eating, physical activity, good work-life balance and a clean, safe and secure environment
- ...and which encourages a positive outlook, a sense of contentment and joy.