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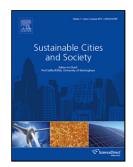
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#### **Highlights**

- Ecological citizenship is conceptualized as the fifth dimension of sustainable urbanism, following the known dimensions concerned with the physical aspects.
- Environmental behaviour is the nucleus of ecological citizenship and in this study, it is explored with the help of a literature review.
- The paper constructs a research model advocating that certain general values influence environmental attitudes: these environmental attitudes influence environmental awareness. As a result of the awareness, the individual intends to perform environmental behaviour.

#### **ABSTRACT**

'Ecological citizenship', as an emerging dimension of sustainable urbanism, is an under-researched concept within environmental planning and policy agendas. It can be suggested that without residents establishing environmentally responsive living as a lifestyle, the outcome of the sustainable urbanism debate would be inadequate or incomplete. In line with this hypothesis, this study revisits the concept of the

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