## METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT FORUM

## STATEMENT OF PURPOSES

The Metropolitan Transport Forum (MTF) aims to promote and work for sustainable, equitable and efficient transport options across metropolitan Melbourne.

In pursuit of this aim the MTF will:

- bring the perspective of local government into metropolitan transport planning debates;
- take a broad and systemic view of Melbourne's transport needs within an urban and social planning context;
- advocate for ecologically sustainable transport that reflects climate change imperatives;
- advocate for socially equitable transport options and modes
- create a forum for debate, research and policy development, and for sharing ideas on local practices;
- support communication and exchange between member councils, organisations and other tiers of government, in pursuit of its purposes;
- work collaboratively with other organisations that support its purposes;
- develop collective positions on debates relating to its purposes;
- encourage and support sustainable transport and mobility planning across metropolitan Melbourne;
- do any such other things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects and the exercise of the powers of the Association.