

proaches involve a broadening of local jurisdictions, transfer of functions between governments, sharing of responsibilities, and similar devices within metropolitan areas. Much can be accomplished by these means, but together they constitute only one kind of approach to the problems of government in metropolitan areas. In contrast to these efforts within metropolitan areas, other metropolitan reforms can be achieved by actions of the States and the Federal Government. This second type of approach, drawing on the powers and resources of States and the Federal Government, will be the subject of the next two chapters.