

No. _____ FY2026 - 2031

RECREATION SERVICES AGREEMENT

1. Parties. This contract is made by and between the City of Cupertino, a municipal corporation ("City"), and DAN GERTMENIAN DBA GERTMENIAN DYNAMIC TEACHING ("Contractor"), a Sole Proprietorship/Individual for Math Olympiads Instruction and is effective on the last date signed below ("Effective Date").

2. Services. Contractor agrees to provide the Services included in the Scope of Work and in accordance with the Schedule of Performance attached in **Exhibit A**.

3. Term. This contract begins on the Effective Date and ends on 08/31/2030 ("Contract Time"), unless extended or terminated as provided herein. Time is of the essence and Contractor must have sufficient time, resources, and qualified staff to deliver the Services as required. Contractor must promptly notify City of any actual or potential delays to afford the Parties adequate opportunity to address or mitigate such delays. The City's appropriate department head or the City Manager may extend the Contract Time through a written amendment to this Agreement, provided such extension does not include additional contract funds. Extensions requiring additional contract funds are subject to the City's purchasing policy.

4. Compensation. City will pay Contractor for satisfactory performance of the Services an amount that will be based upon actual costs but that will be capped so as not to exceed \$1,480,000.00 ("Contract Price"), based upon the Scope of Services, performance schedule, and rates included in Exhibit A. The maximum compensation includes all costs, expenses, and reimbursements and will remain in place even if Contractor's actual costs exceed the capped amount. Contractor must submit invoices and the information required in Exhibit A in order to receive payment. City will compensate Contractor within thirty (30) days after approval of written invoices.

Invoices are subject to review and audit by City during regular business hours upon 24 hours' notice. Contractor must maintain complete and accurate records of payrolls, expenditures, disbursements and other cost items charged to City or establishing the basis for an invoice, for a minimum of four (4) years from the date of the final payment.

5. Independent Contractor.

5.1 Contractor is an independent Contractor and not an employee, partner, or joint venture of City. Contractor is solely responsible for the means and methods of performing the Services and for the persons hired to work under this Agreement. No civil service status or other right of employment will be acquired by virtue of Contractor's performance of the Services. Contractor is not entitled to City's health benefits, worker's compensation or any other benefit. Contractor must have the skills

and qualifications to perform the Services in a competent and professional manner. Contractor will supply all tools, materials, and equipment required to perform the Services under this Contract. Contractor is responsible for obtaining permits and licenses required by law and must obtain a City business license, if required by the Cupertino Municipal Code.

5.2 Contractor is solely responsible for the payment of employment taxes incurred under this Agreement and any similar federal or state taxes. Contractor and any of its employees, agents, and subcontractors shall not have any claim under this Agreement or otherwise against City for seniority, vacation time, vacation pay, sick leave, personal time off, overtime, health insurance, medical care, hospital care, insurance benefits, social security, disability, unemployment, workers compensation or employee benefits of any kind. Contractor shall be solely liable for and obligated to pay directly all applicable taxes, fees, contributions, or charges applicable to Contractor's business including, but not limited to, federal and state income taxes. City shall have no obligation whatsoever to pay or withhold any taxes or benefits on behalf of Contractor. In the event that Contractor or any employee, agent, or subcontractor of Contractor providing services under this Agreement is determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, arbitrator, or administrative authority, including but not limited to the California Public Employees Retirement System (PERs) to be eligible for enrollment in PERS as an employee of City, Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless City for the payment of any employee and/or employer contributions for PERS benefits on behalf of Contractor or its employees, agents, or subcontractors, as well as for the payment of any penalties and interest on such contributions, which would otherwise be the responsibility of City, and actual attorney's fees incurred by City in connection with the above.

6. **Proprietary/Confidential Information.** To the extent Contractor may have access to private or confidential information owned or controlled by the City, Contractor agrees to treat it as confidential and use it solely to perform this Agreement. Contractor must exercise the same standard of care to protect City information as a reasonably prudent Contractor would use to protect its own proprietary data.

7. Ownership of Materials. To the extent Contractor prepares written material, drawings, or data in connection with this contract, City will have the property rights to those materials and all copyrights, if any, to such work product will, to the extent requested by City, constitute City property upon completion of the work to be performed hereunder or upon termination of this Agreement.

8. **Records.** Contractor must maintain complete, accurate, and detailed accounting records relating to its performance in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and procedures. The records must include detailed information about Contractor's services, benchmarks, deliverables, and costs/fees, and must be made reasonably available to City. The records and supporting documents must be kept separate from other files and maintained for four (4) years from the date of City's final payment.

9. Assignment. This Contract is not assignable. Contractor may not substitute another or transfer any rights or obligations under this Contract without prior written approval of City. Only those persons whose names are included in **Exhibit A** may perform the Services.

10. Publicity and Signs. Any publicity generated by Contractor related to this contract or the Services during the Contract Time and for one (1) year thereafter must reference City contributions. The words "City of Cupertino" shall be displayed in all pieces of publicity, including flyers, press releases, posters, brochures, public service announcements, interviews, and newspaper articles. No signs may be posted, exhibited, or displayed on or about City property, except signage required by law or under this Agreement, without prior written approval from City.

11. Indemnification. To the fullest extent allowed by law and except for losses caused by the sole and active negligence or willful misconduct of City personnel, Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the City, its City Council, boards and commissions, officers, officials, employees, agents, servants, volunteers, and contractors (collectively, "Indemnitees"), through legal counsel acceptable to City, from and against any liability for damages, claims, actions, causes of action, demands, charges, losses, costs, and expenses (including attorney fees, legal costs, and expenses related to litigation, arbitrations, administrative, and regulatory proceedings), of every nature, arising out of or in any way related to Contractor's or Contractor's agents performance of this contract or the Services. This includes but is not limited to Liability resulting in personal injury, death, property damage, or economic losses. Contractor must pay any costs City may incur in enforcing this provision and must accept a tender of defense upon receiving notice from City. Contractor's payments may be deducted or offset to cover any money the City lost due to a claim or counterclaim arising out of this Contract. This Section 11 shall survive termination of the Agreement.

12. Insurance. Contractor shall comply with the insurance requirements in **Exhibit B.** City will not execute the Agreement until it has received and approved satisfactory certificates of insurance and endorsements evidencing the type, amount, and dates of coverage. Alternatively, City in its sole discretion, may purchase insurance and deduct the costs from payments to Contractor, or terminate the Agreement.

13. Compliance with Laws and Other City Requirements.

Requirements for all Contracts. This contract is subject to local, state and federal laws and regulations prohibiting discrimination, including Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the California Fair Employment Practices Act, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and other laws that pertain to fair employment and anti-discrimination practices. Contractor agrees to provide records and documentation to the City on request necessary to monitor compliance with this provision.

Contractor must comply with labor laws pertaining to prevailing wages, working hours, overtime, payroll records, and other requirements imposed by the Department of Industrial Relations. If Contractor does not have employees, it must sign the Affidavit of No Employees, attached as **Exhibit C**. Contractor is responsible for verifying employment eligibility of employees pursuant to the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. Contractor must comply with conflict of interest laws and regulations applicable to this Agreement and avoid conflicts of interest. Contractor may be required to file a conflict of interest form for engaging in governmental decisions or serving in a staff

capacity, and is hereby advised to review the requirements of California Political Reform Act and the California Code of Regulations. Services may only be performed by persons who are not employed by City and who do not have a contractual relationship with City other than this contract. Contractor agrees to abide by City policies and administrative rules prohibiting gifts to City officials and employees.

Additional Requirements for Services Provided to Minors. Contractor and its employees who provide services under this Agreement must comply with these additional requirements:

- **A.** Undergo fingerprints and a criminal background and verify all employees providing services under this contract have met this requirement.
- **B.** Complete a Tuberculosis screening test as required by law and as set forth in **Exhibit D**.
- **C.** Comply with the Mandatory Reporting under California Penal Code 11164-11174.3 and with the protocols, reporting, and training required under California Health and Safety Code Section 124235, AB 2007, and other laws pertaining to concussion evaluation, removal from play, and return to play protocols. (Refer to Center for Disease Control & Prevention, <u>https://www.cdc.gov/headsup/index.html</u>).
- **D.** Submit required forms and acknowledgments included in **Exhibit D**, and ensure its each participant is provided with a concussion information sheet, signs and returns the forms to the City as required by Health and Safety Code Section 124235.

Require coaches and administrators to successfully complete the concussion and head injury education at least once either online or in person, before supervising a participant. Contractor shall offer training, educational materials, or both to each Contractor administrator on a yearly basis. (Training resources are available at the Center for Disease Control & Prevention (link cited above).

E. If providing instruction, Contractor must acknowledge and comply with all requirements set forth in the Parks & Recreation Services Instructor Manual.

This contract requires services for children.

14. Coordination of Services. The Parties designate the following persons as Services Coordinators with the responsibility to oversee the delivery of Services in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. Contractor's designation and any substitution are subject to City approval.

For City:	For Contractor:
Name: Robert Kaufman	Name: Dan Gertmenian
Position: Recreation Coordinator	Position: Instructor
Contact: robertk@cupertino.gov	Contact: matholympiads123@gmail.com

15. Abandonment. City may abandon or postpone the Activity or Program and will notify Contractor as soon as possible. Contractor will be paid for satisfactory Services rendered through the date of abandonment upon submission of final invoices approved by City.

16. Termination. City may terminate this contract for cause or without cause at any time and will notify Contractor as soon as possible. Contractor will be paid for satisfactory services rendered through the date of termination upon submission of final invoices approved by City.

17. Governing Law, Venue, and Dispute Resolution. This contract is governed by the laws of the State of California. Any legal actions or proceedings filed against City in connection with this contract must comply with the government claims filing requirements and must be filed with the Superior Court for the County of Santa Clara, State of California. At City's request, Contractor is required to continue to provide Services pending resolution of any dispute. If the Parties elect arbitration, the arbitrator's award must be supported by law and substantial evidence and include detailed written findings of law and fact.

18. Attorney Fees. If City is required to pursue litigation, arbitration or other administrative or regulatory proceeding to enforce its rights or the terms of this Agreement, the prevailing party will be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs. This Section 18 survives this Agreement.

19. Third Party Beneficiaries. There are no third party beneficiaries under this Contract.

20. Waiver. Neither acceptance of Services nor payment thereof constitutes a waiver of any contract provision. City waiver of a breach shall not constitute waiver of another term, provision, covenant, or condition, or a subsequent breach, whether the same or a different character.

21. Entire Agreement. This Agreement and all referenced Exhibits are hereby attached and incorporated into the Agreement by this reference and represent the full and complete understanding as to those matters contained herein, and supersede any other contract or understanding, either oral or written, between the Parties. This Agreement may not be modified or amended except in writing signed by both Parties. If there is any inconsistency between any term, clause, or provision of the main contract and any term, clause, or provision of the attachments or exhibits thereto, the terms of the main contract shall prevail and be controlling.

22. Inserted Provisions. Each provision or clause required by law or this contract is deemed to be included and will be inferred herein. Either party may request an amendment to cure any mistaken insertion or omission of a required provision.

23. Headings. The headings are for convenience only and are not a part of the contract or intended to affect, limit, or amplify the terms or provisions of this Agreement.

24. Severability/Partial Invalidity. If any contract term or provision, or their application to a particular situation, is found by the court to be void, invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, such term or provision shall remain in force and effect to the extent allowed by such ruling. All other contract terms and provisions and their application to specific situations will remain in full force and effect.

25. Survival. All provisions which by their nature must continue after the Agreement ends, including without limitation Indemnification, Insurance, Ownership of Materials, Records, Governing Law, and Attorney Fees, will survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

26. Notices. All notices and instruments pertaining to material provisions of this contract or significant disputes which are required by law or under this contract to be in writing must be sent to the persons listed below. The notices will be deemed effective on the date of personal delivery or the

date confirmed by a reputable overnight delivery service, on the fifth (5th) calendar day after deposit in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, registered or certified, or the next business day following electronic submission.

To City of Cupertino:	To Contractor: DAN GERTMENIAN DBA
Office of the City Manager	GERTMENIAN DYNAMIC TEACHING
10300 Torre Ave., Cupertino, CA 95014	167 ACALANES DR, #15,
Cc: Representative/Coordinator: Robert	SUNNYVALE, CA 94086
Kaufman	Cc: Representative/Coordinator: Dan
Email: robertk@cupertino.gov	Gertmenian
	Email: matholympiads123@gmail.com

27. Execution. The person executing this contract on behalf of Contractor represents and warrants that Contractor has full right, power, and authority to execute this contract and to carry out all actions and services required. This contract constitutes a legally binding obligation of Contractor, and may be executed in counterparts, each one of which is deemed an original and all of which, taken together, constitute a single binding instrument.

SIGNATURES CONTINUE ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this contract to be executed.

CITY OF CUPERTINO A Municipal Corporation

CONTRACTOR

By	By
Name	Name
Title	Title
Date	Date
	Tax I.D. No.: <u>Refer to W9</u>

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

MICHAEL K. WOO Senior Assistant City Attorney

ATTEST:

KIRSTEN SQUARCIA City Clerk

Date_____

EXHIBIT A SCOPE OF WORK, PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT SCHEDULES

The CONTRACTOR will provide Math Olympiads Instruction in, but not limited to, the following:

Math Olympiads

• Contractor provides year-round instruction to Elementary and Middle school students, teaching complex ideas and thought processes needed to succeed in contest math.

Math Olympiads Honors

• Contractor provides year-round instruction to Elementary school students with an advanced level of math knowledge, teaching complex ideas and thought processes needed to succeed in contest math.

Math Olympiads Accelerated

• Contractor provides year-round instruction to Middle school students with an advanced level of math knowledge, teaching complex ideas and thought processes needed to succeed in contest math.

Math Olympiads Advanced Topics in Mathematics

• Contractor provides year-round instruction to High school students with an advanced level of math knowledge, teaching complex ideas and thought processes needed to succeed in contest math.

Math Themed Events

• Contractor provides in-house math competitions designed to assess the learned knowledge of students in the program and grow their experience with math and math competitions.

Information Nights

• Contractor provides annual informational nights prior to the start of the school year to inform parents on details of the Math Olympiads program, which helps with informing and marketing the program for enrollment.

Chess Events

• Contractor provides chess-based events such as simultaneous exhibitions to assess fundamentals, strategy and thought processes.

Location and Time of CONTRACTOR Services:

Refer to the City's Publications for agreed upon dates, times, and locations of a class, camp, activity, program, or service ("class"). The City, at its sole discretion, may change the agreed dates, times, and locations of a class, or may cancel a class.

Compensation for CONTRACTOR Services:

Contractor shall be compensated for services performed pursuant to this Agreement.

For a class taught in person, 65% of the resident fee based on final class rosters, minus copier use fees.

City and Contractor may mutually agree for Contractor to teach a class online rather than in person, provided that City and Contractor reach agreement for compensation for that online class. Compensation for that online class shall be specified in writing in a separate side agreement before online instruction for a class begins.

Eligible Participant Minimum and Maximums for CONTRACTOR Services:

Minimum: 12 Maximum: 27

If less than the required minimum number of participants enroll in and pay for a particular class as identified in the schedule before the class is scheduled to start, the City may cancel the particular class and/or terminate this Agreement without additional notice or payment to Contractor.

Performance of CONTRACTOR Services:

Class Cancellation

Contractor will only receive compensation for a class that is performed. If performance of a class is cancelled by the City or Contractor before instruction begins, Contactor will not receive compensation for the class. If the City or Contractor cancels performance of certain meetings of a class, Contractor will only receive compensation for those meetings of the class that are performed.

In the case Contractor unilaterally cancels performance of a class without City approval, City reserves the right to immediately and without notice cancel the remainder of classes offered and or performed by Contractor.

Registration, Enrollment, and Supervision

The Contractor shall follow all guidelines pertaining to registration procedures as listed in the quarterly recreation schedule. Participants may not take part in the program unless they are listed on the class roster or can show proof of enrollment. All participants and volunteers need to complete the City's Waiver of Liability form prior to taking part in the program. If applicable, contractors who are responsible for supervising minors must remain with the class until a parent or legal guardian has arrived and all minors are released to them.

Injury of a Class Participant

In the event of an injury occurring to a participant, the Contractor will notify the City within 1 hour and complete an Incident Report in the form approved by the City. The Incident Report must be submitted to the City within 24 hours of the injury occurring.

Exhibit B Insurance Requirements for Recreation Contracts

As required by the Agreement, Contractor shall procure prior to commencement of Services and maintain the following insurance for the duration of the Agreement against claims arising from or in connection with Contractor, its agents, representatives, employees or subcontractors Services under this Agreement.

Minimum Scope and Limit of Insurance. Coverage shall be at least as broad as:

- 1. **Commercial General Liability** (CGL): Insurance Services Office Form CG 00 01 covering CGL on an "occurrence" basis, including property damage, bodily injury and personal & advertising injury with limits no less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence. If a general aggregate limit applies, it must apply separately to this project/location (CG 25 03 or 25 04) or be twice the required occurrence limit.
 - a. It shall be a requirement that any available insurance proceeds broader than or in excess of the specified minimum insurance coverage requirements and/or limits shall be made available to the Additional Insured and shall be (i) the minimum coverage/limits specified in this agreement; or (ii) the broader coverage and maximum limits of coverage of any insurance policy, whichever is greater.
 - b. Additional Insured coverage under Consultant's policy shall be "primary and non-contributory," will not seek contribution from City's insurance/self-insurance, and shall be at least as broad as ISO Form CG 20 01 (04/13).
 - c. The limits of insurance required may be satisfied by a combination of primary and umbrella or excess insurance, provided each policy complies with the requirements set forth in this Contract. Any umbrella or excess insurance shall contain or be endorsed to contain a provision that such coverage shall also apply on a primary basis for the benefit of City before the City's own insurance or self-insurance shall be called upon to protect City as a named insured.
- 2. **Automobile Liability**: Proof of Contractor's personal auto insurance with limits required by state law. (Contractor shall not transport or use its personal vehicle to transport participants or perform work under this contract.)
- 3. Workers' Compensation: Contractor Must Sign Affidavit of No Employees
- 4. **Sexual Abuse/Molestation**: Insurance or the equivalent as required for activities/services involving minors, (i.e., after school activities, recreational programs, athletics, study/training events and transportation of minors). Coverage may be included under General Liability or be obtained in a separate policy, such as Educators Legal Liability (ELL) policy, with a limit of no less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence. If a general aggregate limit applies, it must apply separately to this contract or be twice the required occurrence limit.

Insurance coverage required may be satisfied by a combination of Primary and Excess/Umbrella insurance.

OTHER INSURANCE PROVISIONS

The aforementioned insurance shall be endorsed and have all the following conditions and provisions:

Additional Insured Status

The City of Cupertino, its City Council, officers, officials, employees, agents, servants and volunteers ("Additional Insureds") are to be covered as additional insureds on Consultant's CGL and automobile liability policies. General Liability coverage can be provided in the form of an endorsement to Consultant's insurance (at least as broad as ISO Form CG 20 10 (11/ 85) or both CG 20 10 and CG 20 37 forms, if later editions are used).

Primary Coverage

Coverage afforded to City/Additional Insureds shall be primary insurance. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by City, its officers, officials, employees, or volunteers shall be excess of Consultant's insurance and shall not contribute to it.

Notice of Cancellation

Each insurance policy shall state that coverage shall not be canceled or allowed to expire, except with written notice to City 30 days in advance or 10 days in advance if due to non-payment of premiums.

Waiver of Subrogation

Consultant waives any right to subrogation against City/Additional Insureds for recovery of damages to the extent said losses are covered by the insurance policies required herein. Specifically, the Workers' Compensation policy shall be endorsed with a waiver of subrogation in favor of City for all work performed by Consultant, its employees, agents and subconsultants. This provision applies regardless of whether or not the City has received a waiver of subrogation endorsement from the insurer.

Deductibles and Self-Insured Retentions

Any deductible or self-insured retention must be declared to and approved by the City. At City's option, either: the insurer must reduce or eliminate the deductible or self-insured retentions as respects the City/Additional Insureds; or Consultant must show proof of ability to pay losses and costs related investigations, claim administration and defense expenses. The policy shall provide, or be endorsed to provide, that the self-insured retention may be satisfied by either the insured or the City.

Acceptability of Insurers

Insurance shall be placed with insurers admitted in the State of California and with an AM Best rating of A-VII or higher.

Verification of Coverage

Consultant must furnish acceptable insurance certificates and mandatory endorsements (or copies of the policies effecting the coverage required by this Contract), and a copy of the Declarations and Endorsement Page of the CGL policy listing all policy endorsements prior to commencement of the Contract. City retains the right to demand verification of compliance at any time during the Contract term.

Subconsultants

Consultant shall require and verify that all subconsultants maintain insurance that meet the requirements of this Contract, including naming the City as an additional insured on subconsultant's insurance policies.

Higher Insurance Limits

If Consultant maintains broader coverage and/or higher limits than the minimums shown above, City shall be entitled to coverage for the higher insurance limits maintained by Consultant.

Adequacy of Coverage

City reserves the right to modify these insurance requirements/coverage based on the nature of the risk, prior experience, insurer or other special circumstances, with not less than ninety (90) days prior written notice.

EXHIBIT C AFFIDAVIT OF NO EMPLOYEES

State of California County of Santa Clara City of Cupertino

I, the undersigned, declare as follows:

I am an independent contractor and the owner of DAN GERTMENIAN DBA GERTMENIAN DYNAMIC TEACHING.

I wish to enter into a services contract with the City of Cupertino. I am fully aware of the provisions of section 3700 of the California Labor Code, which requires every employer to provide Workers' Compensation coverage for employees in accordance with the provisions of that Code. I am also aware that I must provide proof of workers' compensation insurance to the City of Cupertino for any and all employees I may have, pursuant to Section 12 of the City of Cupertino's contract.

I hereby certify that I do not have any employees nor will I have any employees working for me or my business during the term of any service contract with the City of Cupertino. I am not required to have Workers' Compensation insurance.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on this _____day of ______, 2025, at ______, California.

PRINT NAME

SIGNATURE

EXHIBIT D Contractor's Mandated Reporter Declaration

The undersigned does hereby certify that:

1. I am a representative of DAN GERTMENIAN DBA GERTMENIAN DYNAMIC TEACHING; that I am familiar with the facts herein and am authorized and qualified to execute this declaration.

2. I declare that DAN GERTMENIAN DBA GERTMENIAN DYNAMIC TEACHING has complied with fingerprinting and criminal background investigation requirements with respect to all Contractor's employees who may have contact with minors in the course of providing services pursuant to the Agreement, and the California Department of Justice has determined that none of those employees has been convicted of a felony, as that term is defined in California Penal Code Section 11105.3.

3. I declare that each coach and administrator shall be required to successfully complete concussion and head injury education at least once, either online or in person, before supervising a participant, as required by California Health and Safety Code Section 124235, et seq.

4. On a yearly basis, all participants shall be required to sign and return a concussion and head injury information sheet in compliance with California Health and Safety Code Section 124235, which may be in the form attached as D-1.

5. That a complete and accurate list of Contractor's employees, who may come in contact with minors during the course and scope of the Agreement, are included below.

6. All of the below mentioned employees have tested negative for TB, or X-ray results for TB, and have current documentation on file with Contractor.

7. All of the below mentioned employees have received training and understand their responsibilities under the Mandated Reporter laws of this state and are willing and able to comply.

List of all Contractor Employees working for the City (if no Employees, identify "self"):

Self

8. The Contractor will notify the City of Cupertino in writing of any new employees and will be added to the above list prior to beginning work at the City of Cupertino.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

CONTRACTOR

By	
Name	
Title	
Date	

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