

## FUNDRAISING BROCHURE

2025-2026



# REGIONAL AWARDS CEREMONY SHAKER HIGH SCHOOL JANUARY 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2026

2024-2025 Winners and Sponsors



First Place: Farnsworth Middle School Sponsored by Capital District E-Week



Second Place: Shaker Middle School Sponsored by CHA Consulting, Inc



Third Place: Blessed Sacrament Sponsored by Plug Power



Fourth Place: Berlin Middle School Sponsored by American Society of Highway Engineers (ASHE), Albany Section



Fifth Place: Broadalbin-Perth Middle School Sponsored by Rifenburg Construction Inc.

#### This Year's Essay Topic:

"Farm to Table"

Students will design a future city that eliminates food waste from farm to table while keeping its citizens and the environment healthy and safe.

## What is the Future City® Competition?

The Capital District Future City Competition is an educational program for middle school students to use their creative, innovative imaginations to design a city of the future. The students work with their teacher coach and an engineer volunteer mentor from the community to design and build the city. The students apply math, science, engineering, and technology, as well as enhance their writing and presentation skills, through this project.

Through the September to January program, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students work in teams to apply their imaginations and early engineering skills to design a realistic city of the future. With the guidance of their teacher and engineering mentor they will:

- 1. Follow the engineering design methodology.
- 2. Develop a Project Plan.
- 3. Research and write an essay on this year's tonic.
- 4. Build a 3-D model of their city.
- 5. Present their city and solution to this year's challenge.
- 6. Participate in a virtual Q&A session.



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## PLATINUM

\$4,000 & above

#### Same benefits of Gold, plus:

- Ad size increase to full page in program (7.5" x 8.5").
- Company logo prominently on display at the Awards Ceremony.
- Company name and logo prominently displayed on Future City-Albany Website.

## GOLD

\$2,000 to \$3,999

#### Same benefits of Silver, plus:

- Ad size increase to ½ page in program (7.5" x 4.125").
- Company recognition in communication outreach.



Designing a
Sustainable Future

### SILVER

\$1,000 to \$1,999

#### Same benefits of Bronze, plus:

- Ad size increase to ¼ page in program (3.625" x 4.125").
- Listing in all Constant Contact email blasts, which gets distributed to more than 1,300 contacts.

### **BRONZE**

\$500 to \$999

- 1/8<sup>th</sup> ad space in event program (3.625" x 2.0")
- Specialty award sponsor in program (as available).
- Company logo displayed on Future City website.

### **HONORS**

Up to \$499

- Listed as a sponsor in event program.
- Listed on event T-shirt.
- Listed on Future City website (sponsor page).

Sponsorship					
Benefits	Platinum	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Honors
Listed in event program	Х	X	Х	Х	Х
Listed on event T-shirt	Х	X	Х	Х	Х
Listed on FC -Albany website	X	Χ	Χ	Х	Х
Ad space in program	X	Х	Х	Х	
Specialty award sponsor	X	Х	Х	Х	
Company logo on website	X	Х	Х	Х	
Listing in all Constant Contact email blasts	Х	Х	Х		

#### 2025-2026 Sponsorship Form

Company:	
Contact Name:	
Email:	
Sponsorship Amount:	

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#### **DETAILS**

Please make checks payable to: "Future City Competition-Albany, NY"

Mail your tax-deductible donation with your contact information to:

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