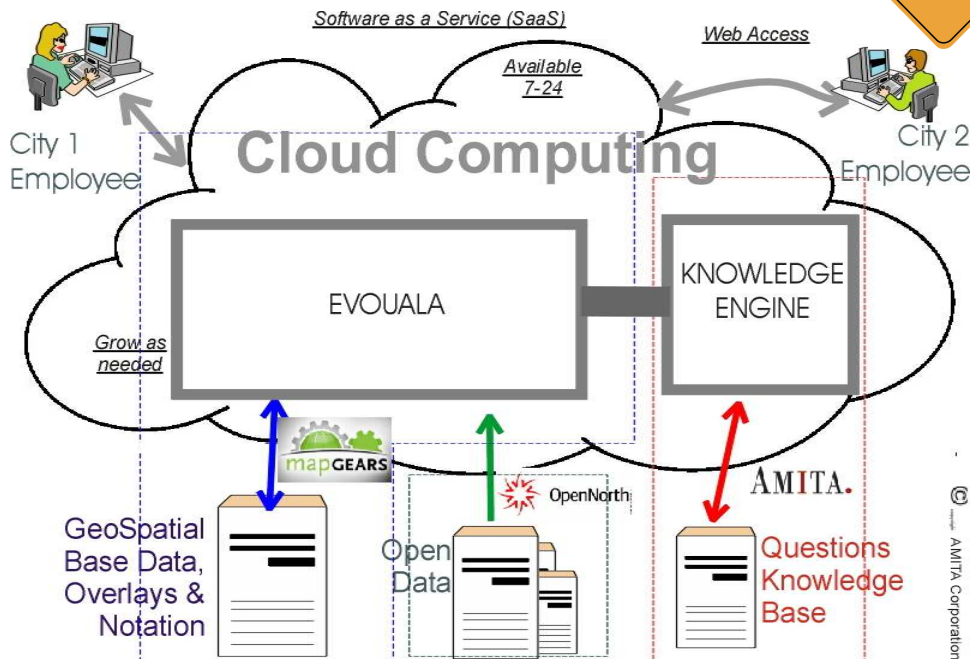


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## GDSP-Geospatial Decision Support Platform Proposal to GeoConnection

**Partnership:** AMITA, Open North and mapGEARS; 4 Canadian Cities joined to date.

*more cities are welcome,*

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**Start:** Early 2017

**Duration:** 9 months

**Funds GeoConnections:** \$ 180,000

**In Kind Funds - 3 Partners:** \$ 27,854

**Objectives:** This project seeks to develop a cloud based Geospatial Decision Support Platform (GDSP) specifically designed for cities and metropolitan areas.

**Collaboration:** A city's effort will be tailored to the their desire and situation; typically a few days for the project at no risk.

City collaboration requested:

1. Identify key questions that cities may ask
2. Assist with the identification of Open Data sets
3. Beta test GDSP



**Output:** A cloud based working prototype.

**Impact:** Cities will benefit by being exposed to the power of the combined capability of Geospatial, Open Data and Knowledge Engine, showing how higher quality decisions can be made faster and with less resources.

City employees can, with confidence, inform citizens that planning has been completed with the support of available data. This will promote confidence in city administration.