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24	Option F is correct	A possessive is a noun or a pronoun that shows possession. The contraction "it's" should be changed to the possessive		
		pronoun "its" since the city's features are being described.		
	Option G is incorrect	G is incorrect The comma after "lakes" should not be deleted because it separates a list of nouns.		
	Option H is incorrect	The spelling of "swimming" is correct and should not be changed.		
	Option J is incorrect	Leaving sentence 25 unchanged would not correct the grammatical error in the sentence.		