

Bradford 2025 UK City of Culture

Requests for Proposals (RFP)

The Railway Children Lighting Equipment Supply

Introduction

Bradford Culture Company (BCC) operating as Bradford 2025 (the Company) is seeking to appoint a suitably experienced and qualified contractor (the Provider) to supply lighting equipment, for a production of The Railway Children.

BCC would like to invite interested providers to tender for this business.

Providers must meet BCCs procurement objectives:

- To ensure that procurement activities reflect BCC's approach to transparency, sustainability, value for money and equality, diversity, and inclusion.
- To ensure BCC's commitment to the communities of Bradford is reflected in the procurement process.
- To ensure BCC's duty to its funders to deliver best value for money.
- To ensure compliance with relevant laws and regulations.

Scope of work

We are looking for an established theatrical lighting equipment rental company to work alongside the Lighting Designer

- The production takes place at Oxenhope Railway station
- The expected load in date is 16th June 2025.
- The expected load out date is 11th September 2025
- The performance space seats 500 people

Proposals could also include production staffing for the load in period. Technical rehearsals start 7th July with Press night on the 15th July.

Criteria for Selection

- Previous experience of system sound design for theatrical performance
- Alignment with BCC's procurement objectives.
- Capacity to deliver within timescale.
- Local to Bradford/West Yorkshire.
- Value for money.

Please provide an Expression of Interest to <u>procurement@bradford2025.co.uk</u> You will then receive a groundplan and draft equipment list.