

Sample Rider Contents

Technical Rider

Line up: who is performing

Equipment: what is needed for each performer

Stage layout: the marked positions of each performer

Input patch list: the sound board channels for each instrument with microphones noted

Monitoring requirements: the monitoring needed including availability and use of in-ear systems and other related equipment

Staging: risers and other physical elements

Sound check: when this is needed, what is expected

Engineer requirements: if a sound engineer is being used, what they require

Other: any additional information (breaks, other performers, order of acts)

Contact information: who to contact regarding requirements

Hospitality Rider

Backstage requirements: room set up, capacity, heating and cooling, time required, furnishings needed

Meals: service time, amount of guests, entrée, sides, allergies and other dietary needs, availability (or not of meal buy-out)

Snacks: service time, amount of guests, suggested items, allergies and other dietary needs

Drinks: types, time needed, service style

Security: access to areas and expectations for this (e.g. reasonably secure from public access, badge holders only)

Comp tickets: amount of tickets provided to event and means of distribution

Other: any additional information (meet and greets, décor)

Contact information: who to contact regarding requirements