EKATERINBURG IS A CANDIDATE CITY TO HOST WORLD EXPO 2025

Russia has become an official candidate to host World Expo 2025, and Ekaterinburg was chosen as Russia's bid city. If the Russian bid wins, the exhibition will be held from 2 May to 2 November 2025. Ekaterinburg’s competitors in hosting one of the major international events are Paris, Osaka, and Baku.

The theme of Ekaterinburg’s bid is “Changing the World: Innovations and Better Life for Future Generations”.

The host country will be elected in a secret ballot at the 164th General Assembly of the Bureau International des Expositions (BIE) to be held in Paris in November 2018.

Russia’s Government ordered to establish the Organising Committee to support the nomination of Ekaterinburg (headed by Arkady Dvorkovich, Deputy Prime Minister of the Russian Federation), and the Expo 2025 Bid Committee (headed by Svetlana Sagaydak).

An active participant and prize-winner of world exhibitions, Russia has, nonetheless, never hosted Expo. The county’s bid to host Expo 2025 offers the best possible combination of the highest level of public and government support, stability and security, historical, cultural, geographical and climatic advantages.