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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE****HOUNDMOUTH Adds Tour Date in Harrisburg this February**

*Indie Rock/Americana band stops at Whitaker Center this winter during Golden Age tour*

Harrisburg, PA- Whitaker Center presents HOUNDMOUTH in Sunoco Performance Theater on Friday, February 15, 2019 @ 8:00pm. This show is presented by Capital BlueCross and supported by the Lois Lehrman Grass Foundation.

In late 2011, Matt Myers, Zak Appleby and Shane Cody started playing music together in a historic home in New Albany, Indiana dubbed "The Green House." Its rooms were adorned with relics from times past, so it was no surprise that songs such as "Penitentiary" bounced off the walls. Nostalgic sounds from their first album seemed to serve as a welcome escape for listeners from the relentless demands of the digital age. But if you asked any one of the guys, they were 'just having fun.'

Houndmouth signed with legendary indie label Rough Trade Records in 2012. *From The Hills Below The City* landed them on several world-famous platforms such as fellow lovable Hoosier, David Letterman's stage. When vocalist, guitarist, and songwriter Matt Myers first spoke with big-name producer Dave Cobb prior to working together on their sophomore LP *Little Neon Limelight*, the two laughingly agreed to "not make another fucking boring Americana record." A natural sounding album captured in a familiar fashion came together, except this time with a #1 adult alternative radio single in "Sedona."

The group find themselves touring in support of their third full length album, *Golden Age*, released this past August via Reprise Records. Now with four new touring band members (Caleb Hickman, Drew Miller, Graeme Gardiner, and Aaron Craker - after Katie Toupin's departure) the band admits that although there is no doubt that their perceived public identity is founded on roots and Americana, Houndmouth nevertheless created a concept album around a nostalgic future - and the sound will certainly reflect its message. The credits for *Golden Age* only begin to hint at the lengths they went to in order to find the sound of their nostalgic future — vintage Voxes, Vocoders and Moogs, modern programming, strings, tympani, baritone sax, live drums, Linn drums, unvarnished pianos and very distorted guitars.

Tickets go on sale to the public on Friday, November 9 at 10:00am at whitakercenter.org and Whitaker Center Box Office. Tickets range from \$24.50 - \$34.50. For tickets and more information, please visit whitakercenter.org or call the Whitaker Center Box Office at 717-214-ARTS.

Whitaker Center for Science and the Arts is a non-profit center for the arts, education, entertainment and cultural enrichment located in the heart of Harrisburg's vibrant downtown. Whitaker Center is home to Sunoco Performance Theater, Harsco Science Center and Select Medical Digital Cinema featuring a four story premium large format theater with a recently upgraded 4K digital projection system. Visit [whitakercenter.org](http://whitakercenter.org) for a full list of events, shows, hours of operation, and ticket rates.

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