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Whitaker Center Presents Neko Case in Harrisburg with Thao (of the Get Down Stay Down)
Singer-songwriter confirms solo tour this fall after summer tour with Ray LaMontagne

Harrisburg, PA- On Monday, September 17 WXPB Welcomes Neko Case to Sunoco Performance Theater at Whitaker Center at 7:30pm. This show is supported by the Lois Lehrman Grass Foundation. All Whitaker Center Presents shows are sponsored by Capital BlueCross.

Neko Case is an American singer-songwriter, best known for her solo career and her contributions as a member of the Canadian indie rock group The New Pornographers. Five years have passed since Case's last solo project, *The Worse Things Get, the Harder I Fight, the Harder I Fight, the More I Love You*. In the interim, she sang on *Whiteout Conditions*, the 2017 release from longtime bandmates the New Pornographers. The year before that, she released a vinyl box set of her solo work and joined k.d. Lang and Laura Veirs on the case/lang/veirs project.

Her newest solo project and first in five years, *Hell-On*, drops June 1 in the midst of a summer tour with Ray LaMontagne.

Thao & The Get Down Stay Down-the San Francisco-based band fronted by singer and songwriter Thao Nguyen released their fourth album, *A Man Alive* in 2016. Following the critical success of *We The Common* (2013), which was largely inspired by Thao's volunteer work with the California Coalition for Women's Prisoners, *A Man Alive* is an evolution in both subject matter and sound. The Get Down Stay Down are at their best on this record, and Thao herself experimented with programming drumbeats for several tracks, although live drums are also played on every song.

Tickets go on sale Friday, April 20 at 10:00am at whitakercenter.org and at the Whitaker Center Box Office. Tickets range from \$34 - \$49. To purchase tickets or for more information, please visit whitakercenter.org or call the Whitaker Center Box Office at 717-214-ARTS (2787).

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 for a full list of events, shows, hours of operation, and ticket rates.

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