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# SAMSARA THE DEBUT ALBUM FROM AUSTIN'S LOS COAST RELEASED TODAY

"The energy and the seamless fusing of these genres create remarkable, infectious, foot-stomping grooves that rarely relent. Instead, they threaten to explode at times...This is more than an auspicious debut. It's a monster." - Glide Magazine

Nashville, TN - Samsara, the debut album from psychedelic alt-soul outfit Los Coast drops today via New West Records. An intoxicating mix of genres that includes R&B, new wave, funk and world music, Los Coast has created a sound that reflects their vast influences, weaving them into something uniquely their own. The co-ed five-piece band is a tight-knit group of exceptional musicians fronted by vocalist Trey Privott, guitarist and multi-instrumentalist John Courtney, bassist Megan Hartman, drummer Damian Llanes and keyboardist Natalie Wright.

Los Coast has been building a grassroots buzz through their mesmerizing live performances, recently opening shows for Gary Clark Jr. and St. Paul & The Broken Bones. The band's infectious video for the track "Monsters" was recently premiered via *Relix*. Click **HERE** to view.

"...you might not be able to slap an evergreen label on their sound, but the five-piece will certainly get your heart rate up and set your booty for 'shake' in no time."

#### - NPR Heavy Rotation

"It's a far-reaching and deeply imaginative collection of songs that recalls the electric soul power of Curtis Mayfield at the peak of his powers as well as the psychedelic reach of Arthur Lee's Love." - PopMatters

"...nods to the funky 1970s, mixing the gospel-influenced vocals of frontman Trey Privott with steady grooves, fat keyboard and clouds of reverb."

#### - Rolling Stone Country

"Los Coast built a reputation as a thrilling live band that can be hard to peg musically, and true to form, from the bone-rattling psych rock of 'Monsters' to the sun-kissed synth-funk of 'Graves' and progressive folk of 'Chesapeake,' they chuck it all into the basin on 'Samsara'." - Austin Chronicle

"The album is track after track of genre blending genius throughout...These songs are complex and infectious...Los Coast is a band that's going to be garnering some serious well-deserved attention the remainder of the year, and going forward." - Americana Highways

Los Coast will be touring extensively in 2019 including openings slots for acts including Black Pumas and Lukas Nelson. A full list of upcoming tour dates is listed below.

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## **Los Coast 2019 Tour Dates**

June 14 - Bethel, NY - Mountain Jam June 15 - Philadelphia, PA - World Cafe Live June 16 - Carrboro, NC - Cat's Cradle June 17 - Charlotte, NC - Neighborhood Theatre June 19 - Santa Rosa Beach, FL - Seaside Amphitheater June 20 - Athens, GA - 40 Watt Club June 21 – Birmingham, AL – Saturn June 22 - Mobile, AL - The Merry Widow June 27 - Austin, TX - Antone's Nightclub July 6 - New Braunfels, TX - Whitewater Amphitheater % July 11 - Towson. MD - WTMD First Thursday Fest July 14 - Memphis, TN - Levitt Shell July 16 - Davenport, IA - Triple Crown Whiskey Bar and Raccoon Motel \* July 17 - Minneapolis, MN - First Avenue \* July 18 - Spring Green, WI - Shi-tty Bar \* July 19 - Evanston, IL - Space \* July 20 - Detroit, MI - El Club \* July 21 – Milwaukee, WI – The Backroom @ Colectivo July 23 – Kansas City, MO – recordBar July 25 - Denver, CO - Globe Hall July 27 - Park City, UT - Canyons Resort September 24 - Milwaukee, WI - Turner Hall Ballroom ^ September 25 - Minneapolis, MN - Varsity Theater ^ September 26 - Chicago, IL - Thalia Hall ^ September 28 - Black Mountain, NC - Marcus King Band Family Reunion October 5 – **Evansville**, **IN** – Garvin Park

% - With Nathaniel Rateliff & The Night Sweats
\* - With Black Pumas

^ - With Lukas Nelson