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Brooklyn-NY: December 14<sup>th</sup> – **Hipbone Records and Management** are thrilled to announce that their artist **Alexis P. Suter** has received her first-ever **BLUES MUSIC AWARD** nomination for Best Soul Blues Female Artist.

**The Blues Foundation** ([www.blues.org](http://www.blues.org)) in Memphis, Tennessee announced yesterday the list of nominees for the **33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Blues Music Awards**, which will be held at the **Cooke Convention Center** in Downtown Memphis on May 10<sup>th</sup> 2012. **The Blues Music Awards** are universally recognized as the highest accolade afforded musicians and songwriters in Blues music. The annual Blues Music Awards ceremony is the premier event for Blues professionals, musicians and fans from all over the world.

**Alexis P. Suter** and her band ([www.alexispsuter.com](http://www.alexispsuter.com)) have been consistently touring and recording. They have 5 releases, "Two Sides" (Hipbone 2011), "Live at the Turning Point" (Festivallink), "Just Another Fool" (Hipbone), "Live at the Midnight Ramble" (Levon Helm Studios), "Shuga Fix" (Hipbone), and a million miles under their belts!

Alexis and her band have opened the show at **Levon Helm's Midnight Ramble** in Woodstock, NY over 90 times. As special guests of **The Levon Helm Band**, the **Alexis P. Suter Band** played to sold-out audiences at the **Beacon Theater** in New York City, **Bethel Woods Center For The Arts**, **The Paramount Theatre** in Asbury Park, NJ and Central Park's **Summerstage**.

They have played North American Festivals including, The 50<sup>th</sup> **Philadelphia Folk Festival**, **Bluestock**, **Musikfest**, **The Toronto Waterfront Blues Festival**, **The Cincinnati Blues Festival**, **FloydFest**, **The Kitchener Blues Festival**, **Briggs Farm Blues Festival**, **The Pocono Blues Festival**, **The Vermont Blues Festival**, **The Salmon Arm Roots and Blues Festival**, **The Columbia Blues Festival** and **White Mountain Boogie and Blues Fest**. 2012 Looks to be just as busy....with APSB kicking off the festival season with **The Tampa Bay Blues Festival** in April 2012.

***"She is one of those wonderful spirits, she's got her arms around you... you can feel that!!!"***  
**Levon Helm**

***"It's a rare thing to share the stage with great talent like that young lady"***  
**B.B. King**

Voting is open now thru 7:59 pm (CST), Thursday March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2012 for those who are already members of the Blues Foundation. For just \$25.00 one can become a member. For a full list of nominees and information, log onto ([www.blues.org](http://www.blues.org)).

For more info on The Alexis P. Suter Band, please log onto [www.alexispsuter.com](http://www.alexispsuter.com) or follow the band on Facebook at Alexis P. Suter Band.

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