



**UPDATE 1 4:35 p.m., 6/28/2011:** The show's producers have posted a note on Facebook this afternoon announcing that next season will go ahead as planned starting in October. For those not on Facebook, [we've published the note over on Timetable](#).

Early this morning the [Montgomery Advertiser](#) posted [a piece to their website that announced the pending closure of Alabama Public Television's Montgomery bureau](#) at the end of July due to budget cuts at the state level. [The report](#) points out that [APT](#) will be making reductions statewide to deal with the \$1.3 million lost in funding.

One of the losses of significance to folks here in Birmingham is the announcement that "[We Have Signal](#)" will potentially cease production. [The musical performance series](#) launched in late 2008 and is recorded here in Birmingham exclusively at [The Bottletree](#) in Avondale. The show has won Southeast Emmys in 2009 & [2010](#) and had been nominated again this year.

According to [the show's fan page](#) on Facebook, [episodes were shot this spring and scheduled to air this fall](#). We're looking into whether these new episodes will be aired. We're also waiting to see an official statement from the show's producers about their plans for the future. According to [a tweet earlier today](#) and an email exchange with the show's producers, the first they learned about the potential situation was from this morning's story in the *Advertiser*.