

Dear KBYU Viewer:

Have you heard the big news?

On July 2, 2018, KBYU Channel 11 will officially end its long-standing affiliation with PBS, making KUED Channel 7 the only provider of PBS content in Utah. As the managers for these two much-beloved Utah television stations, we wanted to make you aware of how this change affects you.

First and foremost, this is fantastic news for Utahns like you who appreciate high-quality, non-commercial television. And certainly, a win-win for both stations—and our viewers. That's because this move will effectively double the amount of content available to you while eliminating any duplication of programming. When the change happens this summer, KUED Channel 7 will become the sole provider of PBS content in Utah. It will continue to carry the full PBS schedule including PBS Kids programming and all of your long-standing favorites from *Nature to NOVA*, as well as award-winning, locally-produced documentaries and series that focus on Utah.

At the same time, KBYU channel 11 will commence carrying BYUtv, a nationwide, non-commercial HD network which features family-oriented content, including game shows, sports, dramatic and reality series, original movies, concerts, devotionals and the wildly-popular sketch comedy series, *Studio C*.

We hope you are as excited as we are about these changes coming to Utah public television, and for the expanded viewing opportunities for you and your family. Given the variety and programming differences, we know you will enjoy both channels with the assurance that we are both committed to providing television we can all be proud of now and into the future.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact either of us. In the meantime, we invite you to tune in this July and enjoy!

Kind regards,

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