## **UNITED STATES**

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

**CURRENT REPORT** 

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE

**SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934** 

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported):

October 3, 2006

# **AMSOUTH BANCORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**DELAWARE** (State or other jurisdiction

1-7476 (Commission File Number) 63-0591257 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

AMSOUTH CENTER

Identification No.)

1900 FIFTH AVENUE NORTH

**BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA 35203** 

(Address, including zip code, of principal executive office)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (205) 320-7151

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## Not applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:	
	Written communication pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
	Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

In accordance with general instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the following information is furnished and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

The Registrant s Chairman made a presentation at the conclusion of AmSouth Bancorporation s Special Meeting of Shareholders on October 3, 2006.

A copy of the visual presentation is being furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

On October 3, 2006, the shareholders of AmSouth Bancorporation ( AmSouth ) approved the proposed merger of AmSouth with and into Regions Financial Corporation ( Regions ). Approximately 90% of the participating shares voted in favor of the merger. Approximately 77% of all outstanding shares participated in the vote. On October 3, 2006, Regions and AmSouth issued a joint press release with respect to shareholder approval of the merger, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated hereby by reference as Exhibit 99.2 hereto.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits. The exhibit 99.1 listed in the exhibit index is furnished pursuant to Regulation FD as part of this current report on Form 8-K and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

- 99.1 Visual Presentation of October 3, 2006
- 99.2 Press release dated October 3, 2006

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#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

### AMSOUTH BANCORPORATION

By: /s/ John D. Buchanan Name: John D. Buchanan

Title: Executive Vice President, General Counsel and

Corporate Secretary

Date: October 3, 2006