Server 2012 EOL - Plan For Change

With Server 2012 End-of-Life right around the corner on October 10th, has your business prepared for change? If not, use this cheat sheet:

Your Server 2012 operating system will likely be on one or more of the following situations:

1. On-Premise Physical Server

2. On-Premise Virtual Server

3. Cloud Virtual Server

Options for moving away from Server 2012:

1. Upgrade the physical server (not recommended)

2. Upgrade to virtual server (more sustainable)

3. Cloud migration (ideal option)

Timeline of Next Steps

01 Work with your MSP to find out what servers you have running Windows Server 2012, as well as their age and condition.

02 Consider the needs of your business and choose the best option.

03 Backup your current data for migration.

04 Testing and validation of current applications to make sure they function correctly.

05 Cutover to chosen option.

06 Training for employees on new server environment.

⚠ It can take weeks to plan, test, and deploy new servers, so there's less time than the already short calendar indicates!

If you aren't working with an MSP currently (or if your current MSP hasn't brought this rapidly approaching upgrade up), reach out to us and we'll find the right fit for your business!

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