

## Re: Move W2K3 server to it's own OU seperate from SBS (MyBusiness) OU

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If you log onto the member server, and right click my computer > manage, do you not see local users and groups? Can you not add a local user here, and/or add a domain user account to the local user group?

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Les,

Thank you for you for taking the time and your input. I stated in my post that this program "requires" a local non admin account. It will not work with a domain account. This W2K3 server is a member server only. So I need to be able to grant this local account the right to "log on as a service" on the local machine. Hence the reason why I need to be able to manage the local group policy on the server.

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Is the member server a DC? If so, it has no local users. I'd suggest it shouldn't be a DC, but even so, you should be able to create and use a domain user account for the service.

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I am running SBS 2003 Premium SP1. I've also got a W2K3 Standard SP1 server that is part of the SBS domain. I need to install an application that requires a non administrative "local" account and given the right to "log on as a service" on the local machine.

Well my issue is that because the W2K3 server is in the SBS

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MyBusiness OU it inherits the GPO from the SBS server and of course we all know that I cannot add a local machine account to allow it to "log on as a service". I also cannot edit or add a local machine account to the local policies. OK not a problem I said. I'll just create a new OU and move the W2K3 server there which I did. My problem is that I still cannot add or edit the "log on as a service" on the local machine. It appears to still be inheriting it's policies from the SBS server. I think my problem is that I may have created the new OU at the wrong level of the forest. The SBS "MyBusiness" OU resides on the tree under domain.local which is the same level where I create this new OU and moved the W2K3 server to. I want to be able to control local policies on the W2K3 server. Did I create the OU at the wrong level of my forest tree?