

### The challenge of cloud security today

In the modern business climate, countless organizations worldwide have leveraged the speed and efficiency of cloud technology to streamline their digital transformation efforts. By and large, this action has been beneficial. But in the rush to accelerate their move to the cloud, many organizations have bypassed adopting best practices from a security standpoint, and that has led to some challenges.

Cyber incidents such as ransomware attacks are on the rise. Many organizations today lack adequate resources to protect themselves against such risks – and often, they don't even have the ability to assess what their risk levels truly are. This is especially problematic when managing a remote workforce, as you have employees accessing their data and applications from a wide range of endpoints, all over the world. Mitigating risk becomes even more challenging in that situation.

This eBook will discuss what you can do to address the security risks your business is up against – and how Microsoft and Zones, together, can play a pivotal role in that effort.







## A deep dive on Zones **Cloud Security Services**

At Zones, we take pride in enabling our clients to take the cloud plunge with confidence, knowing their technology will be both highperforming and secure.

To that end, we are excited to present our Zones Cloud Security Services package – which includes end-to-end consulting, migration, and security managed services to help our clients make the most of cloud technology.

At the heart of our efforts is our Zones Cloud Security Assessment offering. With a Zones Cloud Security Assessment, you can size up your environment by conducting an in-depth technical discovery and analysis of your Microsoft 365 and Microsoft Azure security posture. The goal is to evaluate your vulnerabilities, establish identity and access control, and scope out your regulatory compliance risks.

All of this is tied with a strategy and planning workshop in which our Zones experts will propose recommendations for mitigating the security risks your business is up against.

With Microsoft cloud solutions, your business has incredible potential to drive increased productivity and profitability. And with Zones in your corner, you'll have everything you need to ensure your Microsoft cloud use is safe and secure.







## **Breaking down** the business benefits

When you invest in fortifying your security with Zones Cloud Security Services, you are sure to unlock a host of benefits.



#### These may include...

- Gap analysis and recommendations to solve your greatest security challenges.
- Protection for your most confidential data, help with regulatory compliance, and more secure remote work.
- Improved accuracy and availability of corporate resources.
- A productive and secure supply chain.
- A reduction in both the frequency and the severity of security breaches.
- Implementation of a security and compliance culture across the business.
- Reduced IT security costs.

Add all of this up, and the end result is clear – an investment in Zones Cloud Security Services is an investment in the future of your business. Your devices, applications, and data will be protected, and your employees will be able to move forward with confidence.





## Why Zones?

When it comes time to fortify your cloud architecture, there are a lot of IT service providers you could turn to for help. So why Zones, specifically?

There are a few reasons, actually. Let's break them down.

Zones Cloud Security Services offer several key advantages over competitors' offerings. These advantages include 24/7 tech support, a selfservice portal for billing and license management, a worldwide partner and service delivery practice, and a 35-year gold partnership with Microsoft, which allows us to maximize return on investment for our clients while minimizing overall risk.

Plus, Zones is a Microsoft Advanced Specialized partner, with a particular focus on Workplace Modernization, Virtual Desktop, and Cloud Security. This means we're better positioned than anyone to deliver Microsoft solutions that deliver real value for your business.













#### **About Microsoft and Zones**

There are a lot of choices when it comes to IT service providers. But when it comes to providers with complete end-to-end service offerings, there's really only one: Zones.

Our expertise revolves around our four Solution Environments – Digital Workplace, Cloud & Data Center, NextGen Networking, and Cybersecurity. And with a global team of over 2,000 hardware and software specialists, we are highly equipped to deliver solutions that meet the needs of today's businesses.

Our reach spans to more than 80 countries – from Seattle to Sydney, Dallas to New Delhi, and far beyond. We deliver IT services for countless organizations all over the world, and we're ready to do the same for you next.

To learn more, connect with a Zones Account Manager today.

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