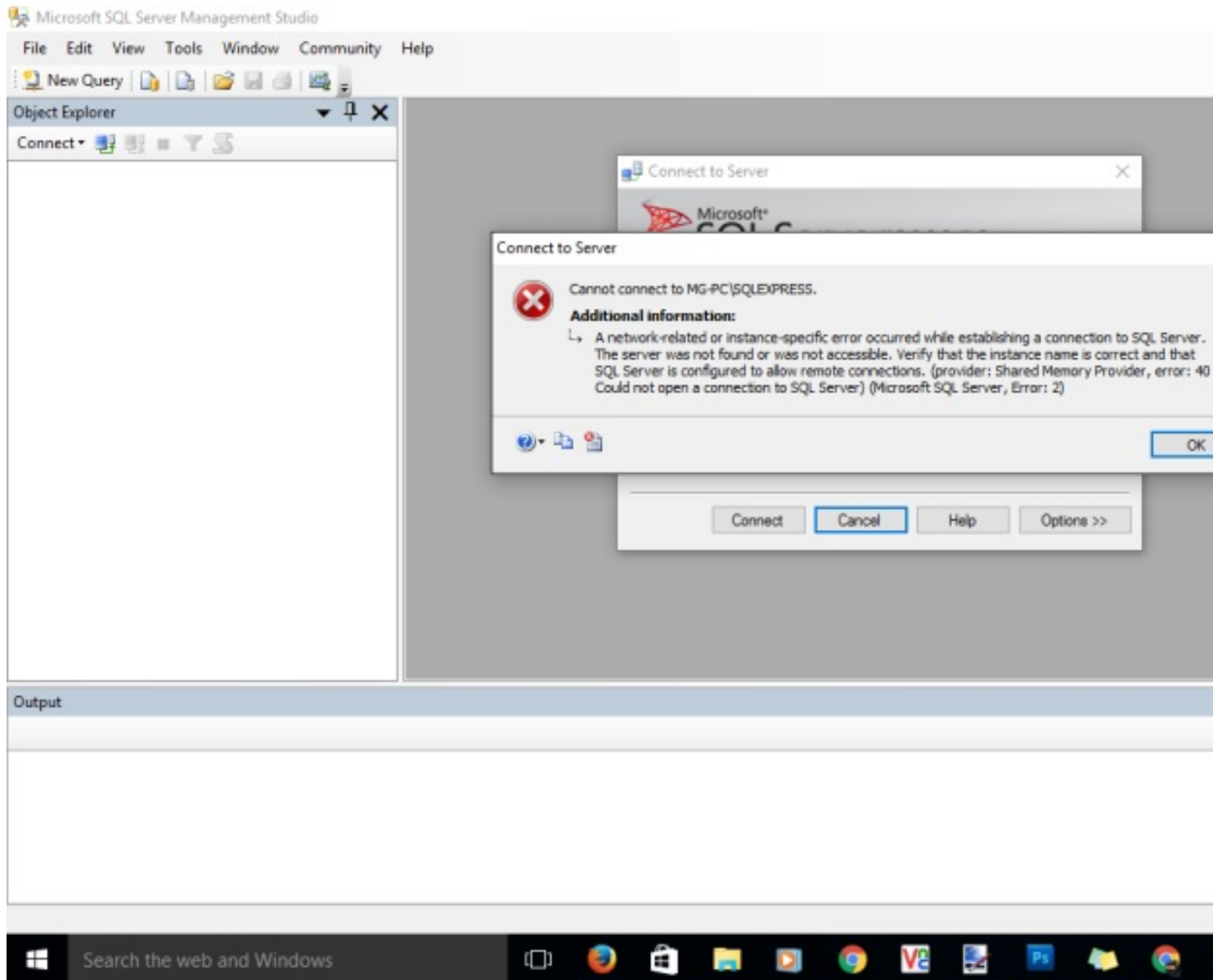


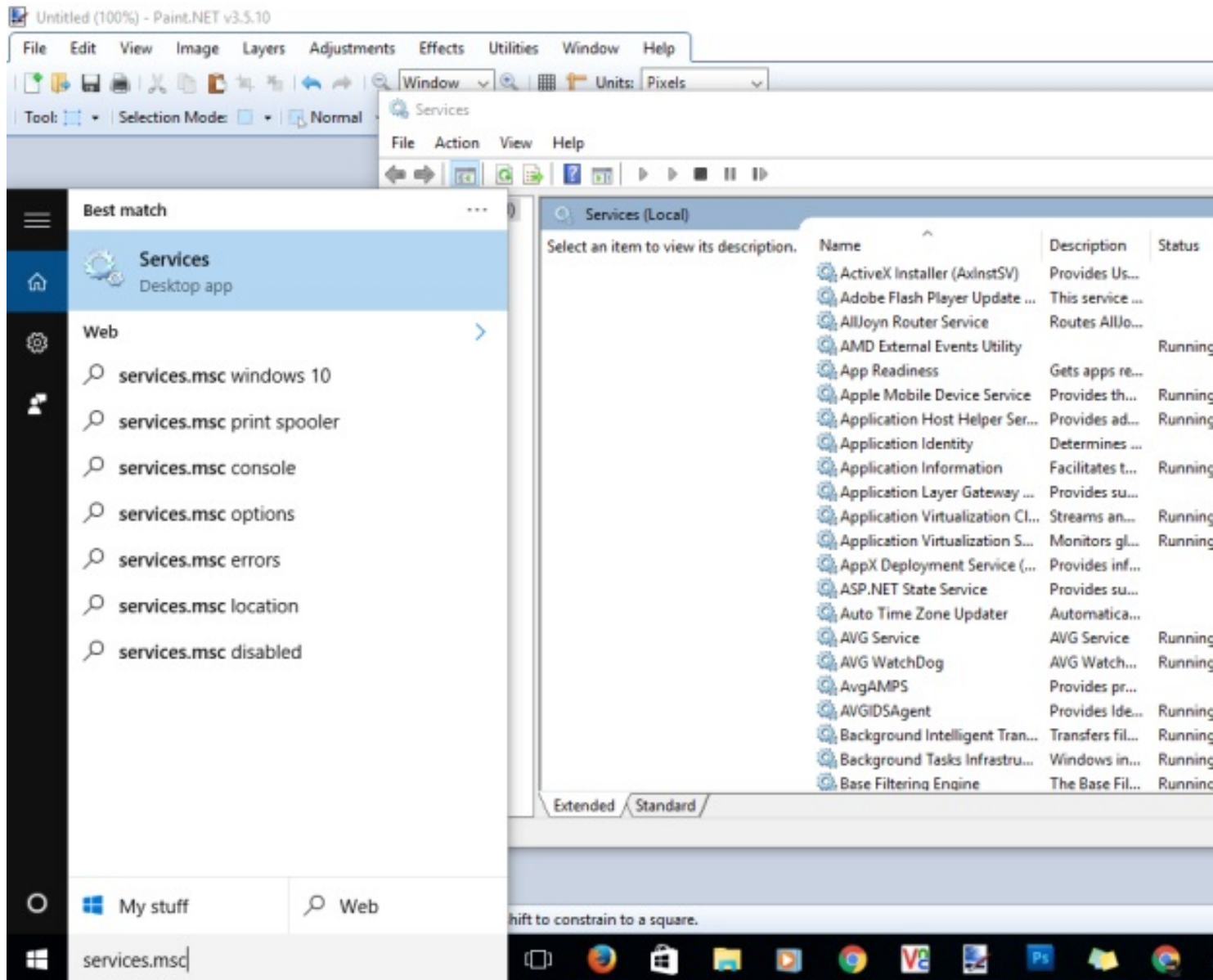
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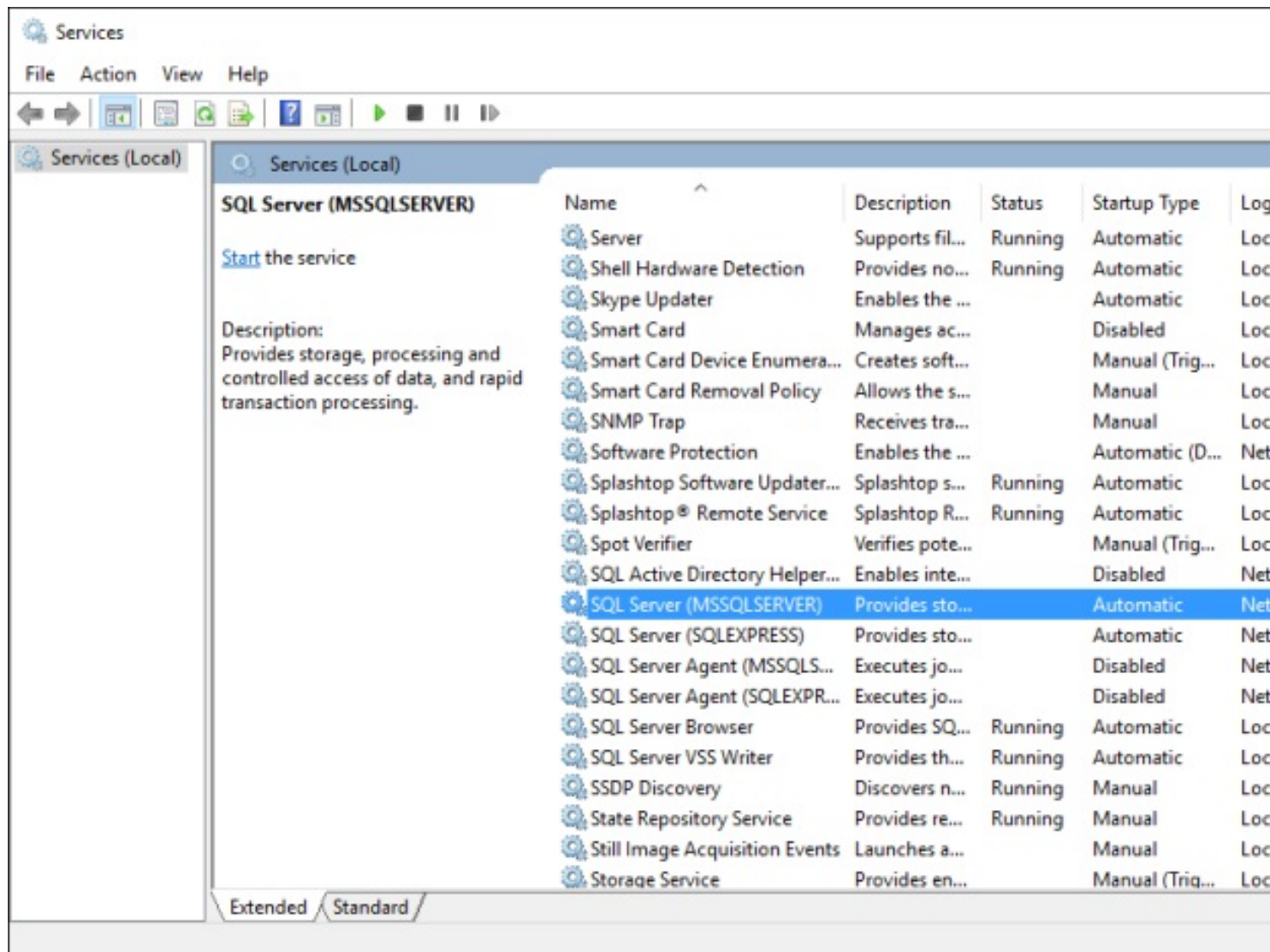
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Type in the search box services.msc and open the Services window.



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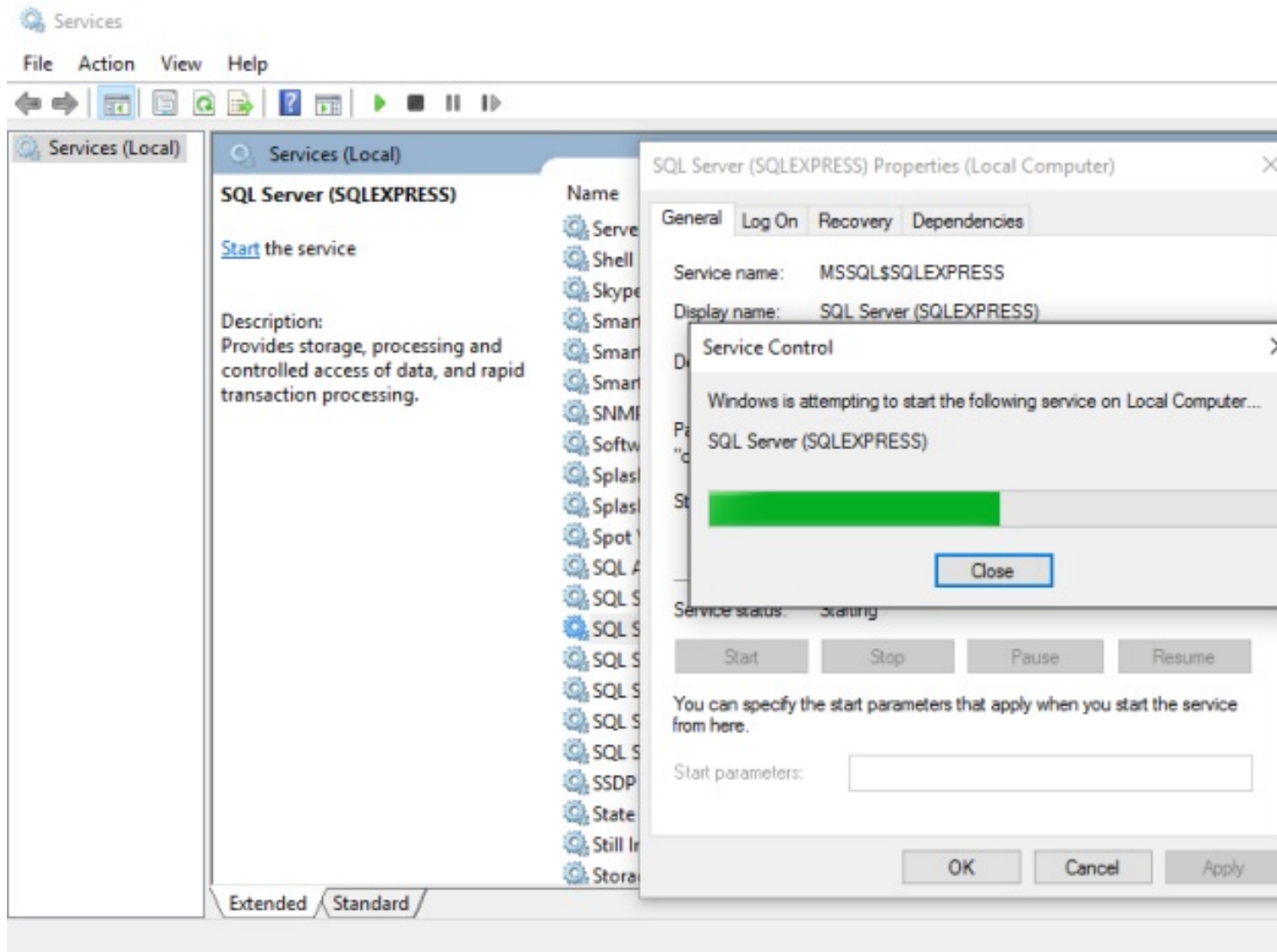
Scroll to SQL Server and double click to open it



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Click Start to start the service.



This will start the SQL Server service and you can connect to the server. You can watch the below video for the same process.

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