

# PRIVACY SCREEN FRAME KIT - 1/4", 5/8", 7/8" INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

# WHAT IS INCLUDED

- A. (2) Horizontal Frame Channel
- B. (2) Vertical Frame Channel
- C. (4) Privacy Screen Brackets
- D. (2) 1/4" 5/8" Dual Filler Strip 44-3/8"
- E. (6) 1/4" 5/8" Dual Filler Strip 24"
- F. (2) 1/4"-1/4" H-Connector Strip 44-3/8"
- G. (2) 1/4"-7/8" Connector Strip 44-3/8"
- H. (2) 1/4"-5/8" Connector Strip 44-3/8"
- I. (2) 7/8" Slat Filler Strip 44-3/8"
- J. (24) 7/8" Board Spacer
- K. (24) 5/8" Board Spacer
- L. Hardware Kit
  - 1. (28) #8 x 1/2" Screw
  - 2. (8) #10 x 1" Screw
  - 3. (1) T20 Torx Bit

## **NOT INCLUDED**

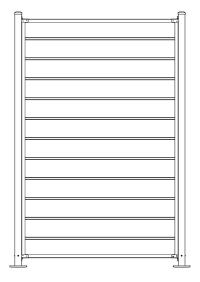
- 1. 2-1/2" x 2-1/2" x 76" Privacy Screen Flanged Post Kit (#544660)
- 2. Privacy Screen Infill Options
  - a. 1/4" Privacy Panels (#544664, #544665, #544666, #544667)
  - b. 5/8" (4-Pack) Slats (#544656, #544657, #544658)
  - c. 7/8" Deckorators Full Profile Decking or any 7/8" Thick Material

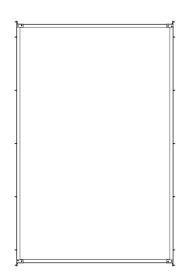
# TOOLS AND ITEMS NEEDED

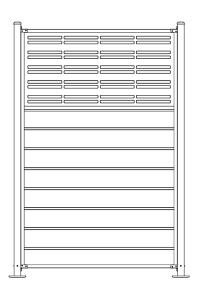
- Drill/power screwdriver
- Tape measure
- Marked speed square
- Level
- Pencil
- Safety glasses/goggles

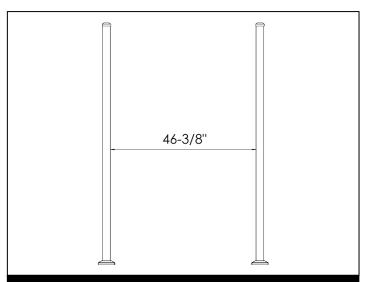
#### **PRO TIPS**

- Layout the infill kits with appropriate filler strips and spacers before installing.
- This kit is designed for a 46-3/8" span between posts.
- Note that your post and mounting method is purchased separately from the Privacy Screen Frame Kit.



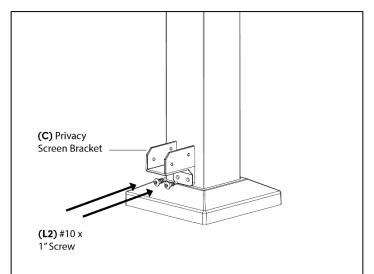






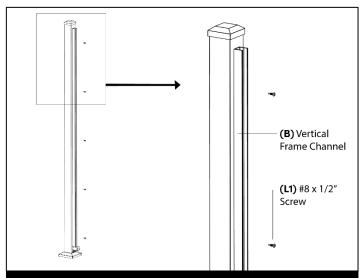
#### STEP 1 - Option 1: Set Flanged Posts

- Set post bases so that the space between each post face is 46-3/8"
- Ensure that posts are set vertically plumb and parallel to each other
- Secure posts to mounting surface with proper fasteners for your mounting surface according to the post instructions.
- Repeat for the other post.



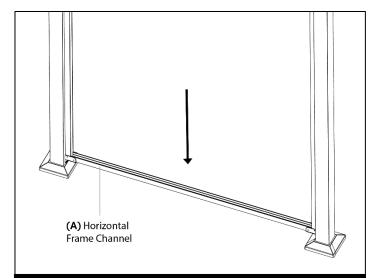
#### STEP 2 - Attach Lower Brackets

- Set the bottom bracket (C) directly on top of the post skirt and centered on the post. This measurement is 1-1/2" from the bottom of the post if using a post extension kit.
- Making sure the bracket is square and centered, attach using an 1/8" pilot hole and (2) supplied #10 x 1" screws (L-2).
- Repeat for the other post.
- Pro-tip: You can use a chalk line across multiple Privacy Screen kits to ensure the infill kits are level with each other.



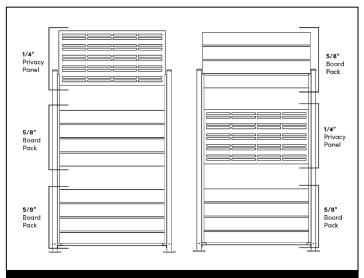
#### **STEP 3 – Attach Side Frame Channels**

- Set the vertical frame channel (B) into the bracket (C) with the opening of the channel facing away from the post.
- Make sure the frame channel (B) is plumb and centered on the groove in the post.
- Use a clamp to hold your frame channel in place.
- Attach using 1/8" pilot holes and (5) #8 x ½" screws (L-1) located in the pre-cut slots.
- Repeat for other post.



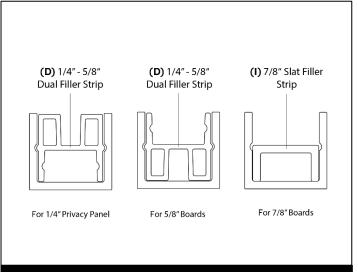
#### **STEP 4 - Insert Lower Frame Channel**

- Set one of the horizontal frame channels (A) into the brackets (C) from Step 1 with the opening of the channel facing up.
- DO NOT ATTACH YET.



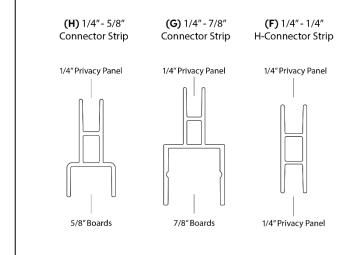
#### STEP 5 - Plan Infill Kit Layout

- You can mix and match infill kits to fit your style. Each infill kit takes up 1/3 of the Frame Kit.
- Determine your desired privacy screen infill pattern and related adapters/spacers.
- \*Note that if you are planning to install 7/8" material, measurement details will be laid out in Section A (below).



#### **Filler Strips**

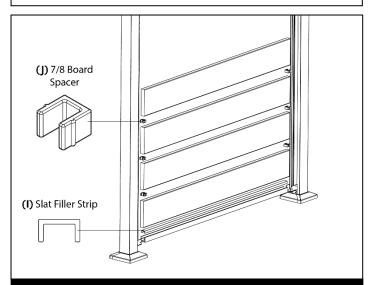
- The Privacy Screen filler trips help connect the infill kits to the frame channels.
- Make sure to set the proper filler strip in the frame channel to adapt to your infill kit.
- These strips go into the top or bottom frame channels to provide the correct spacing.
- \*Filler strips sit in the frame channels to adapt each size: 1/4" panels, 5/8" slats or 7/8" boards.



#### **Connector Strips**

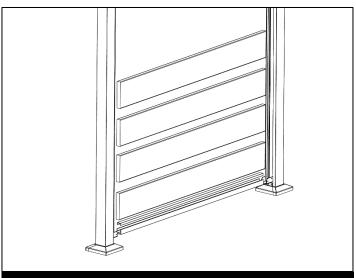
- The Privacy Screen Infill Kits can be connected by using one of these Connector Strips.
- Set a properly sized Connector Strip on top of the installed Infill
   Kit
- Install the next Infill Kit directly on top of the Connector Strip.

\*Connector Strips join two different infill options together



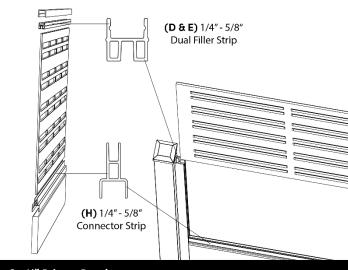
#### A - 7/8" Thick Boards

- If 7/8" thick boards are desired, you must cut each board to 45-3/8". One "Infill Kit" is made up of (4) 5-1/2" wide boards with spacers.
- When installing 7/8" boards into a Horizontal Frame Channel (A) you must insert one 7/8" Slat Filler Strip (I) into the Horizontal Frame Channel (A). This applies to both the top and bottom Horizontal Frame Channel (A).
- Install one 45-3/8" long board by sliding both ends of the board down the Vertical Frame Channels (B).



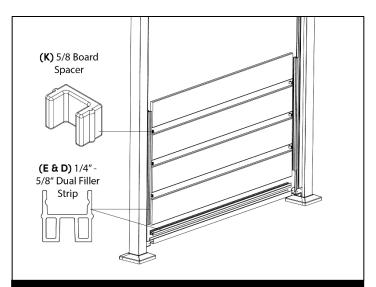
## A - 7/8" Thick Boards (Cont.)

- If no gap is desired, install the next board directly on top of the last one. The no-gap option is only available if you choose to use all boards (no screens) for the entire kit.
- If you choose this configuration, you will need to install one extra board (13 total boards).
  - Repeat these steps to fill in the rest of the privacy screen.



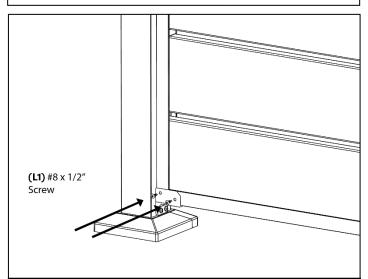
### C - 1/4" Privacy Panels

- The Vertical Frame Channels will need two ¼" Dual Filler Strips, 24" (E) for the Privacy Panel.
- If the panel is bordered by the Horizontal Frame Channel, it will need a ¼"-5/8" Dual Filler Strips, 44-3/8" (D).
- If the panel is bordered by a privacy slat (5/8") or board (7/8"), it will need the matching horizontal connector strip (H or G)
- Install the filler strips (D,E) and required connector strip(s) (H or G) with the 1/4" slots facing towards the panel.
- Install the Privacy Panel by sliding both ends of the panel down the 1/4" Vertical Filler Strips (E) until it is fully seated in the bottom horizontal channel.
- Repeat these steps to fill in the rest of the privacy screen.



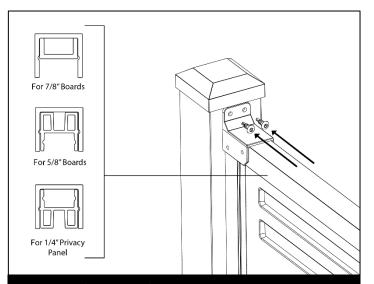
# B - 5/8" Privacy Slats

- You will need to install ""-5/8" dual filler strips (D, E) into all frame channels bordering the 5/8" Privacy Slats
- Install one 45" long board by sliding both ends of the board down the filler strips (E).
- If a gap is desired between the boards, install one ½" spacer (K) into the filler strips (E) on each side by pushing them in and resting on top of the installed board.
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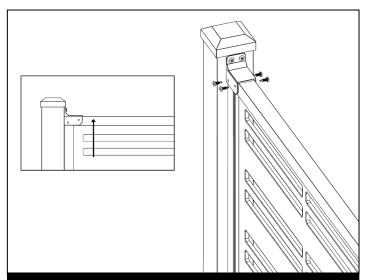
## **Step 6 - Attach Lower Brackets**

 After all infill sections have been placed, attach the lower brackets to the channel using an 1/8" pilot hole and four #8 x ½" screws (L-1) through the pre-drilled holes in the brackets.



## **Step 7 - Attach Upper Brackets**

- Set the Upper Frame Channel (A) on top of the installed infill kits.
- Set Upper Brackets (C) on top of the Vertical Frame Channels (B) and centered on the post.
- Attach an 1/8" pilot hole and (2) supplied #10 x 1" (L-2) screws for each bracket (C).



**Step 8 - Attach Upper Horizontal Frame Channel** 

 Make sure the Top Horizontal Frame Channel (A) is pushed up into the installed Upper Brackets (C) and attach using an 1/8" pilot hole and (4) #8 x 1/2" (L-1) screws through the pre-drilled holes in the brackets.

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