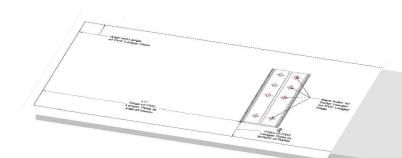
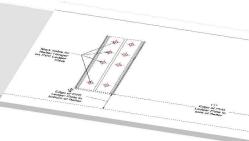
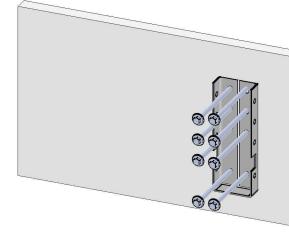
# Step 1) Layout

- Mark holes for Rafter Hanger on the PVC Ledger Plate
- Use templates provided





# Step 2) Attach to Structure



- Attach PVC Ledger Plate AND Rafter Hangers to structure
- Ensure PVC Plate is level

- Be sure to attach to the framing of the structure (studs, headers, wall plates, or similar)
- Fasteners NOT included





- Tabs on trim ring to be on the bottom.
- Screws labeled 'Rafter to Rafter Hanger'
- Ensure screw goes through BOTH aluminum and vinyl of Rafter
- Eight screws per Rafter



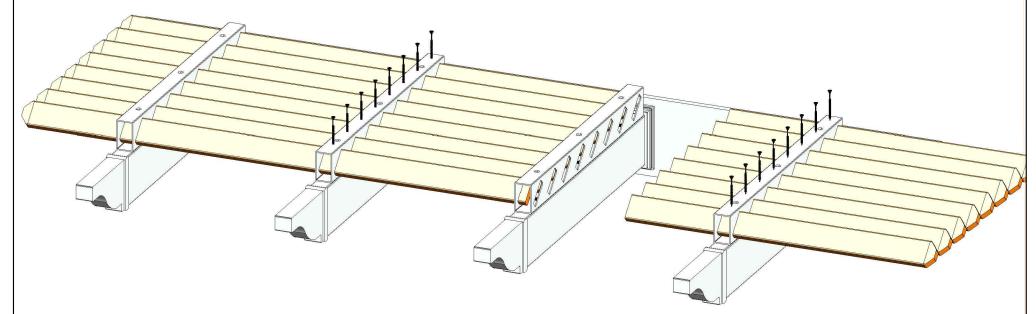
- $\frac{5}{8}$ " Holes to point up
- Ensure they are centered so Purlin Splice will line up.
- Three screws per Purlin Holder

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# Step 5) Install Purlins

- Purlin Splice to be centered INSIDE of a Purlin Holder.
- Five foot and three foot purlins go on the outside. Four foot purlins to go in the middle
- Requires one screw per purlin.



# Step 6) Caps and Plugs

- 2" x 6" Rafter caps require a small amount of glue
- $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 3" Purlin Holder caps require a small amount of glue.
- $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 3" Purlin caps have locking tabs and do not require glue.
- $\frac{5}{8}$ " Plugs on top of Purlin Holder do not require glue.



# Eyebrow Pergola Installation:

## Tools/Hardware for Assembly:

- Drill
- 3/8" Magnetic Driver
- 6" Drill Extension
- Phillips Bit

- Level
- Tape Measure
- Fasteners and accommodating driver to mount rafters to structure

# Step 1) Layout/Prep

- Use template provided to mark screw locations on the PVC Ledger Plate.
  - o There are to be two rafter hangers per 4' Ledger Plate.
- Decide on the location for install ensuring you can fasten into something structural.
  - If you are unsure how to get into the structure components of the home, you need to consult a professional.
- These fasteners are NOT provided with kit.
  - Use appropriate heavy shank screws or similar.

#### Step 2) Attach PVC Ledger Plate and Rafter Hangers to Structure

- Secure all PVC Ledger boards to structure, ensure they are all level.
- Use eight screws per Rafter Hanger.
  - o This yields 16 screws per four-foot piece of PVC Ledger Plate.

#### Step 3) Install Rafters

- Slide trim ring over rafter prior to attachment, tabs to be on the bottom.
- Be sure aluminum support is all the way back. Screw needs to go through both the aluminum and vinyl.
- Screw through Rafter Hanger into both aluminum and vinyl of Rafter.
- Use eight screws per Rafter to secure, fasteners labeled 'Rafter to Rafter Hanger'.
- After all screws are in, slide trim ring back to cover up the hardware and screws.

#### Step 4) Install Purlin Holders

- 5/8" holes are predrilled in the Purlin Holder, holes are to face up.
- Ensure all purlin holders are centered on rafters so that purlins will line up.
- Screw through bottom of Purlin holder into the top of the Rafter.
- Use three screws per Purlin Holder to secure, fasteners labeled 'Purlin Holder to Rafter'.
  - Often need a drill extension during this step.
  - Recommend you angle the top of the purlin toward the structure to maximize shade.

#### Step 5) Install Purlins

- Purlins come in 5', 4', and 3' lengths.
- 5' and 3' lengths to go on the ends. Middle to be filled with as many 4' pieces as necessary.
  - o See CAD drawing for your kit size for further details.
- The rafters are spaced so the purlin splices will land inside a purlin holder.
- Slide Purlins through the Purlin Holders
- Use one screw per purlin to secure, fasteners labeled 'Purlin to Purlin Holder'.

# Step 5) Caps and Plugs

- 2x6 pergola caps on the Rafters to be glued on, a small dab is enough.
- 2" x 3 ½" flat caps on the Purlin Holders to be glued on, a small dab is enough.

- 7/8" x 3" dog eared caps on the Purlins have clips and do not need glue.
- 5/8" plugs for top of the Purlin Holders do not need glue.
- Use Mr. Clean magic eraser to clean off any marks that may have come about from installation process.

## **Custom Widths and Depths**

- Everything is trimmable to fit *your* space.
- To be cut with a miter or circular saw. Use the correct blade for the material you are cutting, ie aluminum or vinyl.

## **Custom Width**

- o Cut PVC Ledger plate and purlins to achieve desired width.
- Respace rafters as needed to accommodate new width. Be sure rafter spacing will allow for the purlin splice to fall INSIDE of a purlin holder.

## **Custom Depth**

- o Cut Rafters and Purlin Holders to achieve desired depth.
- When shortening the purlin holder be sure cut is centered between purlins. This leaves a clean finish on the purlin holder.
- Will need to drill new 5/8" holes on the top of the purlin holder to securely fasten Purlin Holders to the Rafters.