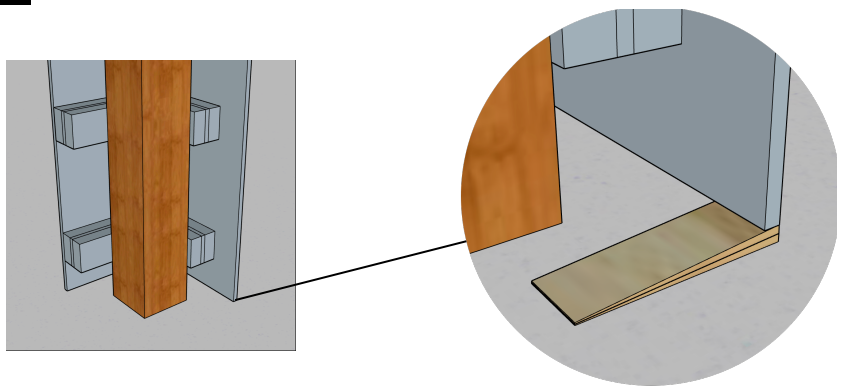
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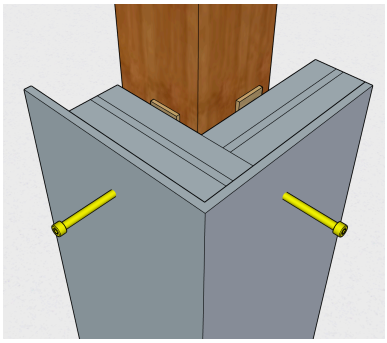
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Set the first half of the Zip Board box on two 1/4” shims all around the bottom to lift the box 1/2” off the deck.

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Measure post dimensions and center the top of the first half of the box off the post with shims.

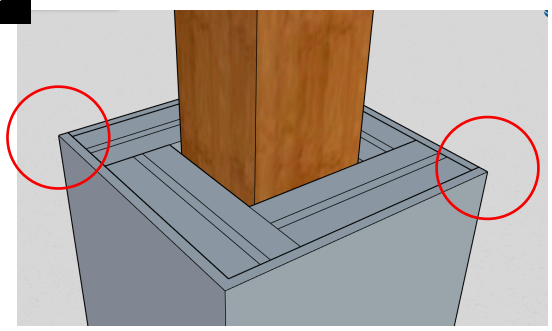
Use 7” Affinity screws to fasten top of box.

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Plumb the first half of the box using shims at the bottom and fasten the rest of the box to the post.

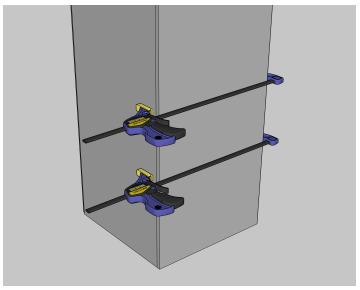
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Line up the Zip sheathing where the two boxes meet at the top. (Don’t worry about the bottom just yet).

Fasten second half of box at the top. **Note: Be sure not to over-tighten and bow Zip Board when fastening.**

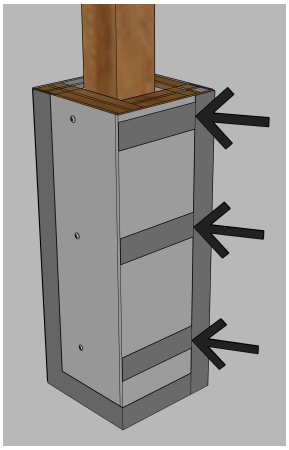
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Ensure the seam between the two halves of box are tight. If not, use clamps to close any gaps.

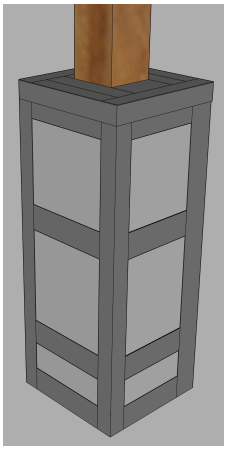
Finish fastening box to post.

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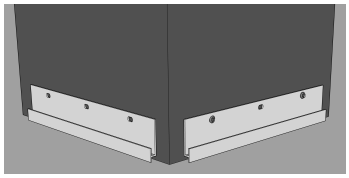
Cover each of the 7” Affinity screws with Zip Tape and roll the tape to ensure adhesion.

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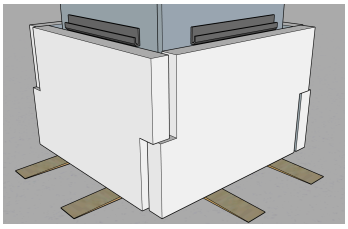
Apply and roll tape to the two remaining outside corners and to the top of the box to weatherproof all exposed wood.

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Use two screws to fasten starter strip to the bottom of the box on all four sides. Starter strip should be flush with the bottom of the box (1/2” off the deck below).

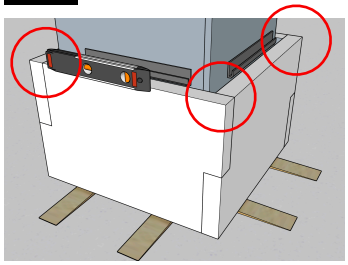
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Use 1/4” shims to support first course of stone panels.

Adjust panels so that the spaces between the panels are even.

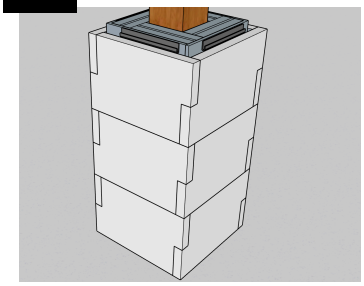
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Fasten first panel to the box using torpedo level (2 screws per panel)

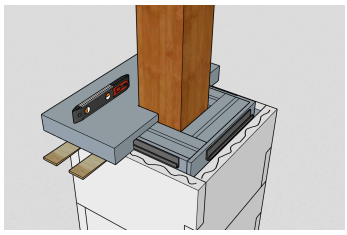
Fasten remaining first course ensuring where the panels meet is flush.

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Repeat for second and third courses.

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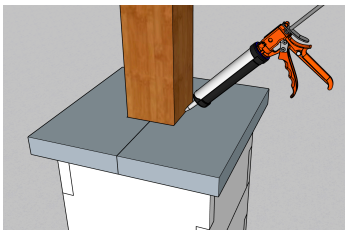


Apply concrete or construction adhesive to the top course of stone as well as the top of the box and install cap.

Install first half of the cap and level using shims and apply a bead of sealant (caulking or silicone) where the two halves meet.

Install second half of cap and level and make it flush with the first half using shims if necessary.

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Apply flashing or sealant around post on top of the cap.

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