

Mailbox Dock Assembly & Installation Instructions

Part 1: Mailbox Dock Assembly Instructions

Start Here: Read Before You Get Started

Installation in 5 easy steps

△ Safety Warnings

- Call before you dig Always contact your local utility service to mark underground lines before digging.
- Work safely near roads Have someone watch for traffic if you're installing near a roadway.
- **Follow local codes** Check with your local municipality for any regulations on mailbox installation.

Tools & Materials Needed:

- ✓ Shovel or post-hole digger
- ✓ Level
- ✓ Concrete mix
- ✓ Mixing container & tool
- ✓ Water

Installation Instructions

Step 1: Dig the Hole

- Dig a hole with a minimum diameter of 8 inches.
- The hole should be at least 36 inches deep for stability.



Step 2: Prepare the Concrete

- Mix the appropriate amount of concrete according to the manufacturer's instructions.
- Ensure the mix has the right consistency before pouring.

Step 3: Fill the Hole

Pour the mixed concrete into the hole until it is level with the ground surface.

Step 4: Install the Mailbox Dock (MBD)

- While the concrete is still wet, gently press the Mailbox Dock (MBD) down into the concrete.
- The top flat portion of the MBD should be flush with the surface of the concrete.
- As you lower the MBD, use a level to check and maintain level positioning in all directions.
- Failure to level the MBD properly may result in a crooked mailbox.

Step 5: Let the Concrete Set

 Allow the concrete to fully harden and cure according to the instructions on the bag before placing your mailbox on the dock.

Part 2: Mailbox Dock Post & Magnet Assembly Instructions

△ Safety Warnings

- **Keep away from vehicles and metal objects** The strong magnet can attract metal suddenly, causing injury or damage.
- Watch your fingers! The magnet's force can pinch fingers if placed too close to metal surfaces.
- Keep out of reach of children This is not a toy. Improper handling can cause injury.
- **Store safely when not in use** Keep the magnet away from electronics, credit cards, and pacemakers.

Tools & Materials Needed:



- ✓ Drill with a 5/8-inch drill bit
- Measuring tape
- Pencil or marker
- ✓ Screwdriver
- ✓ Wrench
- ✓ Four long screws (included)
- Carrying handle & two screws (included)

Step 1: Mark the Center of the Post

- Lay the 4x4 post flat and mark an X on the bottom by drawing diagonal lines from corner to corner.
- The center of the X is where the magnet bracket will be installed.

Step 2: Drill the Mounting Hole

• Using a 5/8-inch drill bit, drill a 5/8-inch deep hole at the center of the X.

Step 3: Attach the Magnet Bracket

- Remove the **magnet and mounting plate** from the Styrofoam shipping material.
- Align the hole on the bottom of the 4x4 post with the nut on the back of the magnet bracket
- Secure the mounting plate by driving four screws through the four mounting plate holes into the post.

Step 4: Find the Balance Point & Attach the Handle

- Balance the entire mailbox post with the magnet attached across a teeter-totter, chair, or similar object to find the center balancing point.
- Mark the center of the balance point with a pencil.
- Position the center of the carrying handle over the mark and secure it with the two provided screws.



Step 5: Attach the Post to the Mailbox Dock

- Gently place the magnet onto the MBD system at a 45° angle.
- Slowly **stand the mailbox post upright**, allowing the magnet to fully engage with the metal plate.