## ON THE FENCE

## January 2015 | Block of the Month Coastal Quilters Guild

This block is a twist on a traditional Rail Fence. Rotate every other block 90 degrees for a striking setting (Based on a design by Weeks Ringle and Bill Kerr)

## FABRICS \& CUTTING

Kona white - provided
A single solid color of your choice
White fabric:
Cut 6 strips 3/4" $\times 13^{\prime \prime}$


## Solid color fabric:

Cut 2 strips $3-1 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 13^{\prime \prime}$
Cut 5 strips $1-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 13^{\prime \prime}$

## CONSTRUCTION

Use 1/4" seam allowances.

1. With right sides together, sew a $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 13^{\prime \prime}$ white strip to the bottom of each $1-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 13^{\prime \prime}$ solid color strip.
2. Sew the remaining $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 13^{\prime \prime}$ white strip to the bottom of a $3-1 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 13^{\prime \prime}$ solid color strip.
3. Press all the seams open.
4. Lay the strips out as shown in the diagram.
5. With right sides together, sew the units together.
6. Add the remaining $3-1 / 4 \times 13^{\prime \prime}$ solid color strip to the bottom of the block.
7. Press the seams open.


8. Trim the block to $12-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 12-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$, trimming equally from the top and bottom.

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