

INSTALLATION PROCEDURES SINGLE POST MARKER

Attach the post to the historical marker. The marker is secured to the post by eight (8) tamper-resistant set screws that are provided with the marker. Use the special driver tool to tighten screws.

The post is designed for 24" insertion in the ground. This leaves approximately 4' of post above ground.

Using a posthole digger, dig a hole 10"- 12" in diameter and 30" deep. Add approximately 6" of dry Ready-Mix Concrete to hole and tamp it with a blunt shovel handle or tamper. Place the post in hole then plumb and brace it.

Add another 12" of Ready-Mix Concrete and tamp all around pole. Continue filling hole and tamping until you are about 4" from the top of hole. Add two to three gallons of water to hole to get concrete wet for curing. Continually check the post to assure it stays level during installation adjusting as needed then fill remainder of hole up with dirt until the hole is full. Allow to cure for 24 hours.

If desired you might cut the bottom out of a 5 gallon plastic bucket to use as a form. Slip the bucket down over the post so it is resting on the ground at the top of the hole. When you fill the top of the hole with concrete, bring the concrete up about 4 - 6" above the ground. When hardened, cut the plastic form away and you have a nice curb around the post which will deter mowers and trimmers from damaging the post.

Call John Shircliffe at 502-773-5419 if you have any questions or just need support – I will be glad to walk you through it!

Sincerely

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