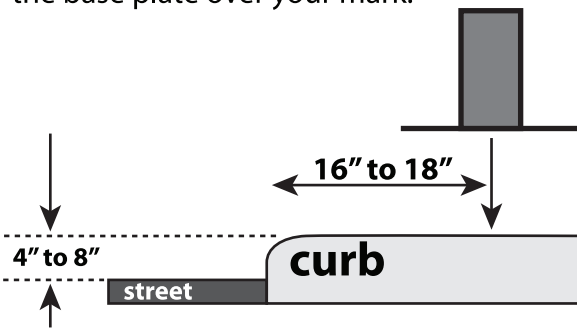


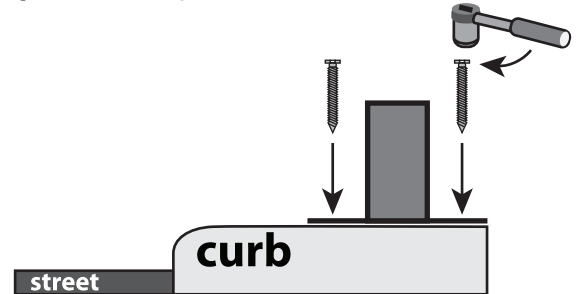
Congratulations on the purchase of your **surface mount** steel post. This post is constructed of tough 14 and 10 gauge galvanized, powder coated steel. Included with the post are four 13mm bolts for attachment to your mailbox. In order to mount this post on a curb or sidewalk you will also need a **base plate**.

Instructions listed below are only guidelines: customers should contact the local post office or mail carrier before installing the mailbox to ensure its correct placement and height at the street. This installation works on curbs 4-8" tall. Generally USPS requires, mailboxes are installed with the base of the incoming mail slot elevated **41-45 inches from the road surface**. The front of the mailbox must be **6-8 inches from the front face of the curb**.

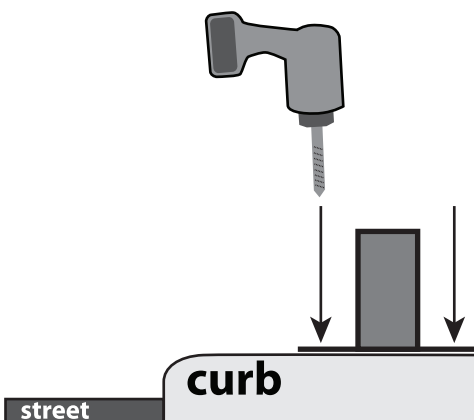
- 1** Locate the desired spot for your mailbox and mark a spot on the curb approximately 17" back from the edge of the street. Center the base plate over your mark.



- 3** Attach and secure at least 4 masonry anchors (there are various kinds, typically 1/4" x 3" masonry "outdoor" anchors are adequate) through the base plate and into the curb.



- 2** Using the 4 corner holes with an appropriate masonry bit.



- 4** Slide the surface mount post over the base plate. Using the 4 bolts included with the base plate, secure the post to the base plate by tightening the 4 bolts. You can now install your mailbox on the post. The bottom of your incoming mail slot should now be 41"-45" above street level.

Note: You may want to use security hardware in place of the bolts we supply for added security.

