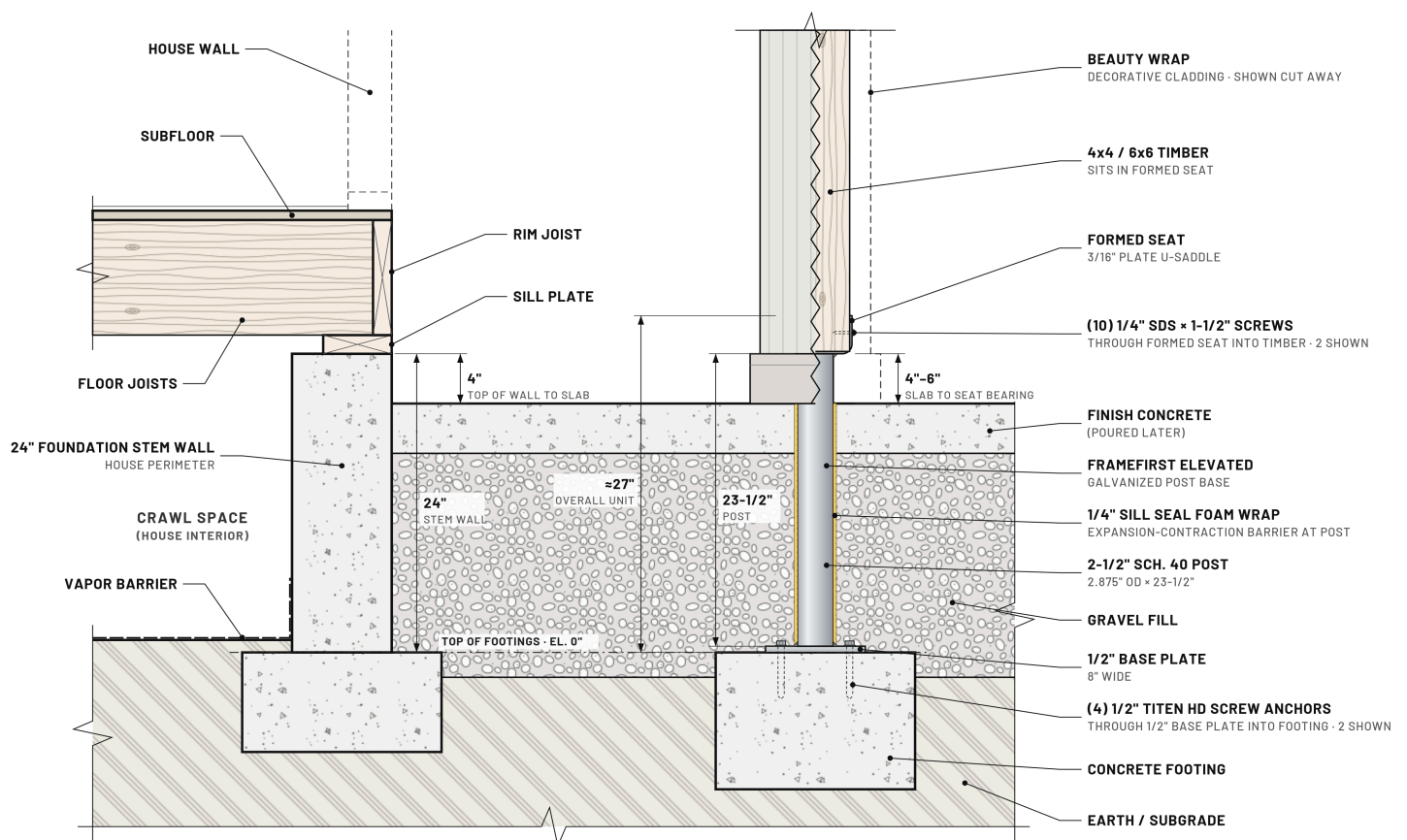


FRAMEFIRST™

ELEVATED POST BASE

FRAME THE HOUSE NOW. POUR THE FLATWORK LATER.

A hot-dip galvanized steel post base that sets on its own footing, so you can frame the whole structure, porch posts included, before the finished flatwork is poured.



TYPICAL INSTALL · HOUSE STEM WALL AND CRAWL SPACE AT LEFT, FRAMEFIRST POST AT RIGHT. BEAUTY WRAP SHOWN HALF CUT AWAY.

01 FRAME FIRST

Set the post on its footing, anchor it and keep framing. No waiting on flatwork to set porch posts.

02 WOOD OFF THE SLAB

The formed seat holds the timber 4"-6" above finish concrete, up off the slab and out of standing water.

03 GALVANIZED STEEL

Hot-dip galvanized for corrosion resistance. Sill seal foam at the post isolates it from the slab.

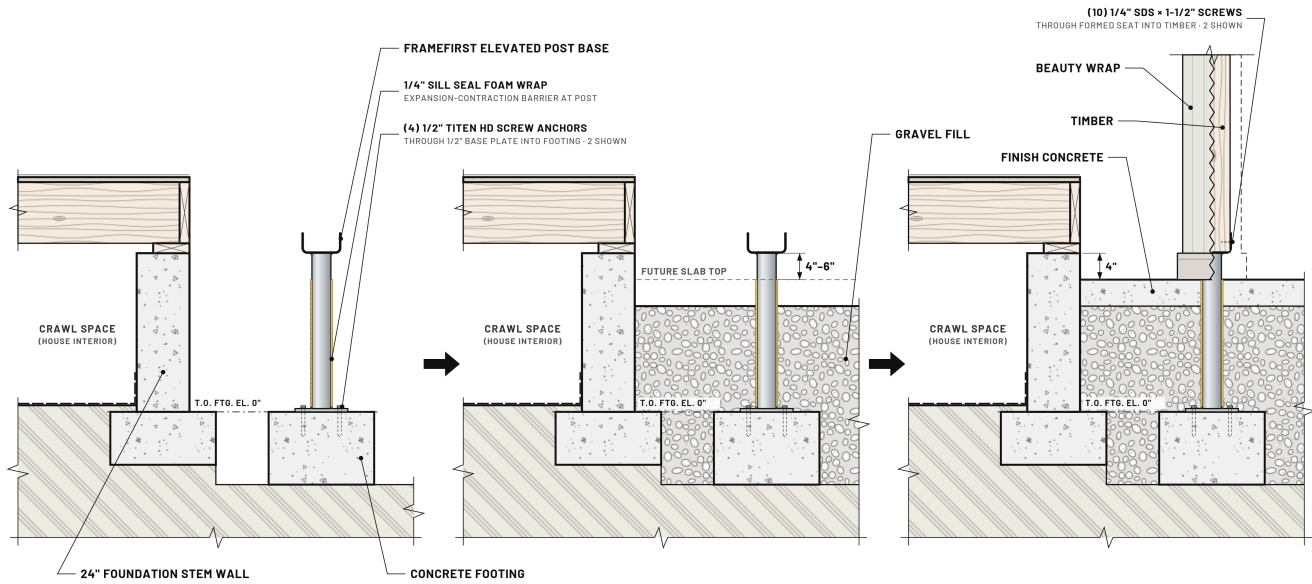
04 DISAPPEARS

Beauty wrap covers the steel and timber for a clean, finished column. Nobody sees the hardware.

HOW IT WORKS

FRAME NOW · POUR LATER · WRAP IT CLEAN

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ELEVATED POST BASE



1 SET ON FOOTING

Set the base on a small concrete footing, top level with the stem wall footing. Anchor it, seat the timber, frame.

2 ADD GRAVEL

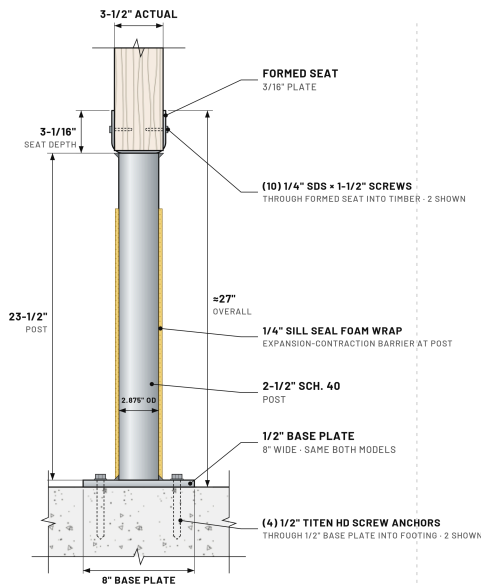
Gravel goes in around the post. Wrap the post in 1/4" sill seal foam where it passes through gravel and slab.

3 POUR + BEAUTY WRAP

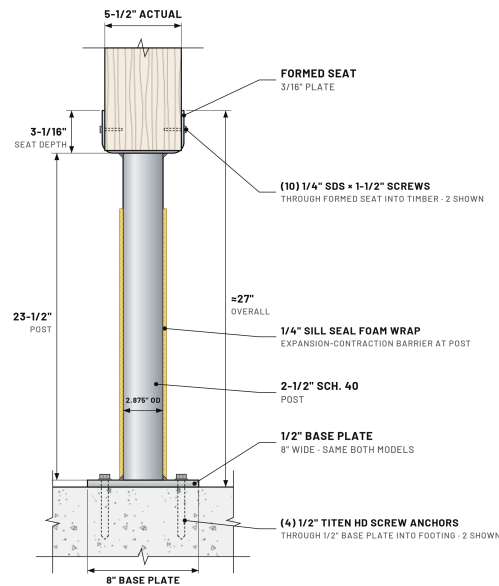
Pour finish concrete when the schedule allows. The seat stays 4"-6" above the slab; beauty wrap hides the steel.

MODELS & SPECS

SAME BASE, POST AND PLATE · SEAT SIZED TO THE TIMBER



FRAMEFIRST FF44
FOR 4x4 TIMBER · GALVANIZED



FRAMEFIRST FF66
FOR 6x6 TIMBER · GALVANIZED

	FF44	FF66
TIMBER	4x4	6x6
FORMED SEAT	3/16" plate U-saddle, sized for 4x4	3/16" plate U-saddle, sized for 6x6
BASE PLATE	1/2" thick, 8" wide (same plate on both models)	
POST	2-1/2" Schedule 40 steel (2.875" OD), 23-1/2" long	
OVERALL HEIGHT	Approx. 27"	
FINISH	Hot-dip galvanized steel (galvanized at Zinkpower)	
ANCHORAGE	(4) 1/2" Titen HD screw anchors through the base plate into the footing	
TIMBER FASTENING	(10) 1/4" SDS x 1-1/2" screws through the seat into the timber	
FIELD PRACTICE	1/4" sill seal foam wrap through gravel and slab (expansion/contraction barrier)	

WHERE TO BUY

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