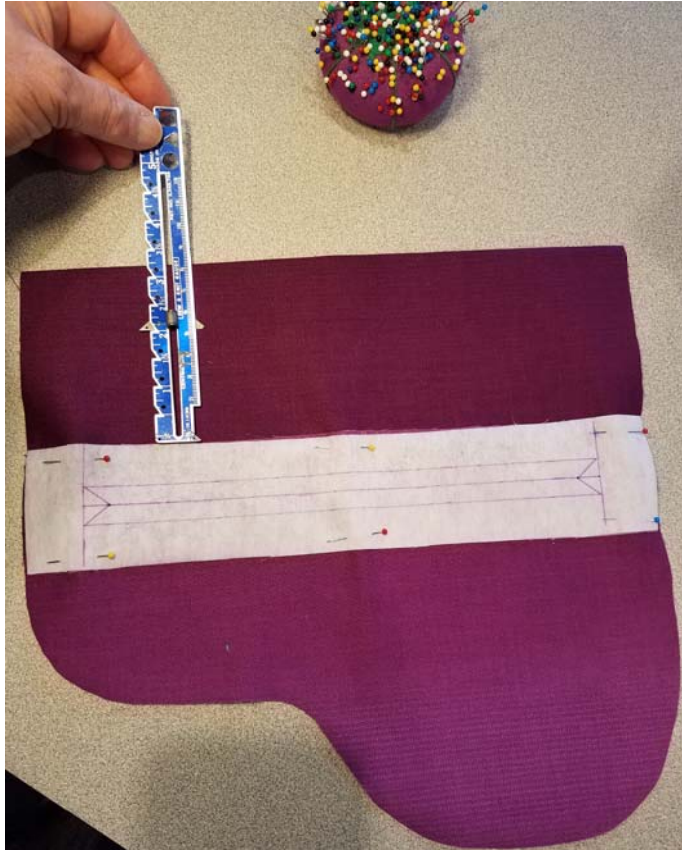
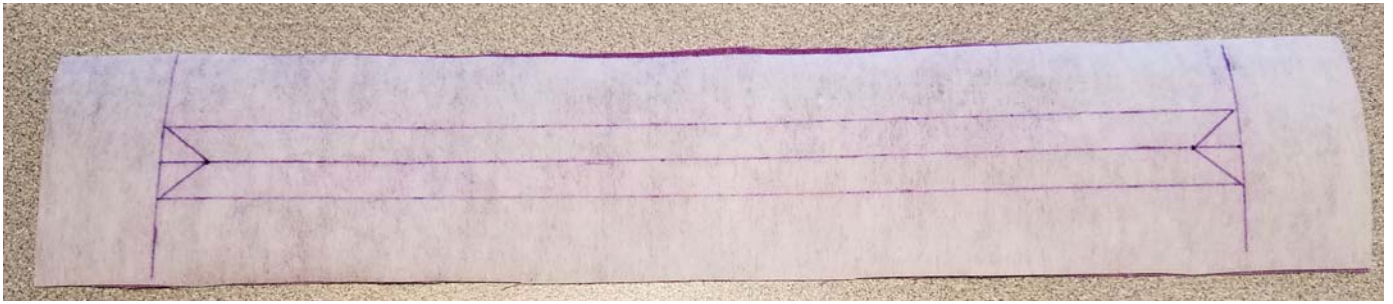


Festival Pocket Belt- Creating Your Inset Zipper - Steps 20-25



So here's the interfacing side of my Zipper Facing all diagrammed as described in step 20.

Pin Zipper Facing RST on Panel 2 in Exterior. The Zipper Facing top edge should be **3"** below the Panel's top pressed edge. (Please note that the little ruler in this picture looks like we placed the Zip Facing 3 1/4" below the folded edge, but **don't do that**. Place it **3"** below the folded edge.)

Stitch very carefully along the perimeter of the rectangle you created in step 20 (indicated by dashed lines above).

Reinforce stitching at all 4 corners.





Cut along centerline to each "c" dot, then cut along all 4 diagonal lines into each corner.
For best results, cut as close as possible into fabric corners, w/o cutting into corner stitching.



Now push Push Facing thru the opening you've created to interfaced side of Panel, then press entire area FLAT.

You might notice that I used my "Clapper" to help flatten the entire area while the fabric was still hot.



Align Panel 2 (WSD) over zipper centering it over the zipper teeth. Pin in place so there's an equal amount of zipper tape visible thru the opening, both above & below zipper teeth. Snug zipperstops into left-side corner openings leaving zipper tail extending beyond right side edge of Panel, then stitch close to all four edges using a zipperfoot.

Reinforce stitching over zipperends, then snip off zippertail ~1/2" from stitching.

Here's how the area looks from the wrong side (and yes I know this is a different sample).

I just thought it might be helpful to see this picture.

