

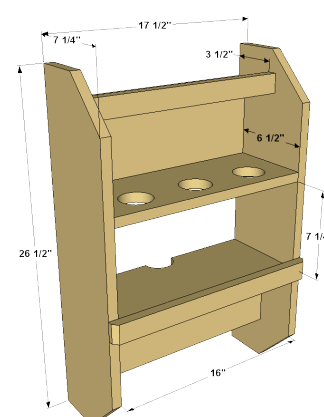
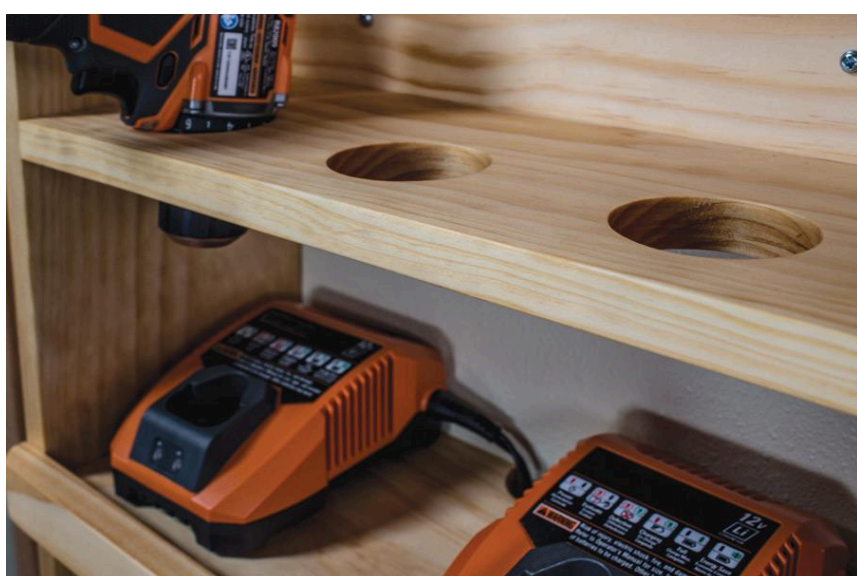
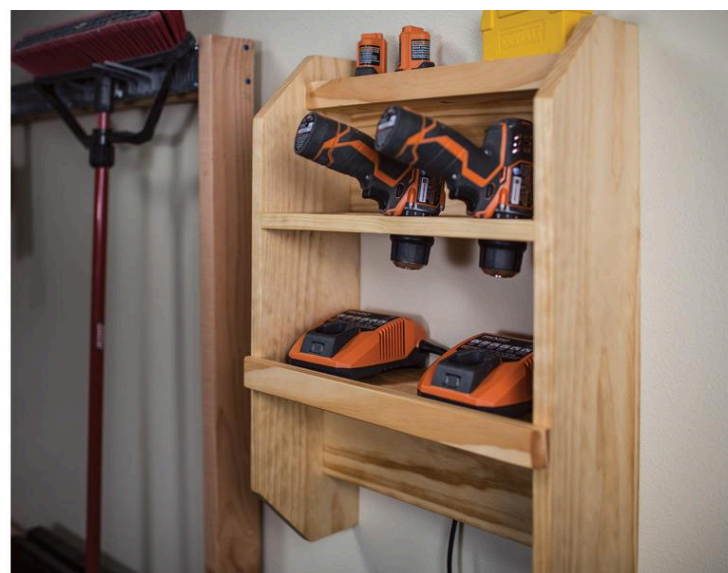
Cordless Tool Charging Station

By **Kreg Tool**

Difficulty

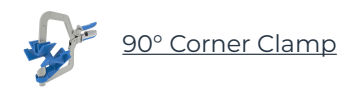
Easy

Cordless tools are great, but finding a place to keep their chargers and batteries can be a challenge. This wall-mounted station offers space for several chargers, plus storage for three drills. It's a great way to keep your cordless tools organized and ready to go.



Tools

Kreg Tools



Other Tools

drill/driver

miter saw

sander

tape measure

2 1/2" hole saw

Materials

Wood Products

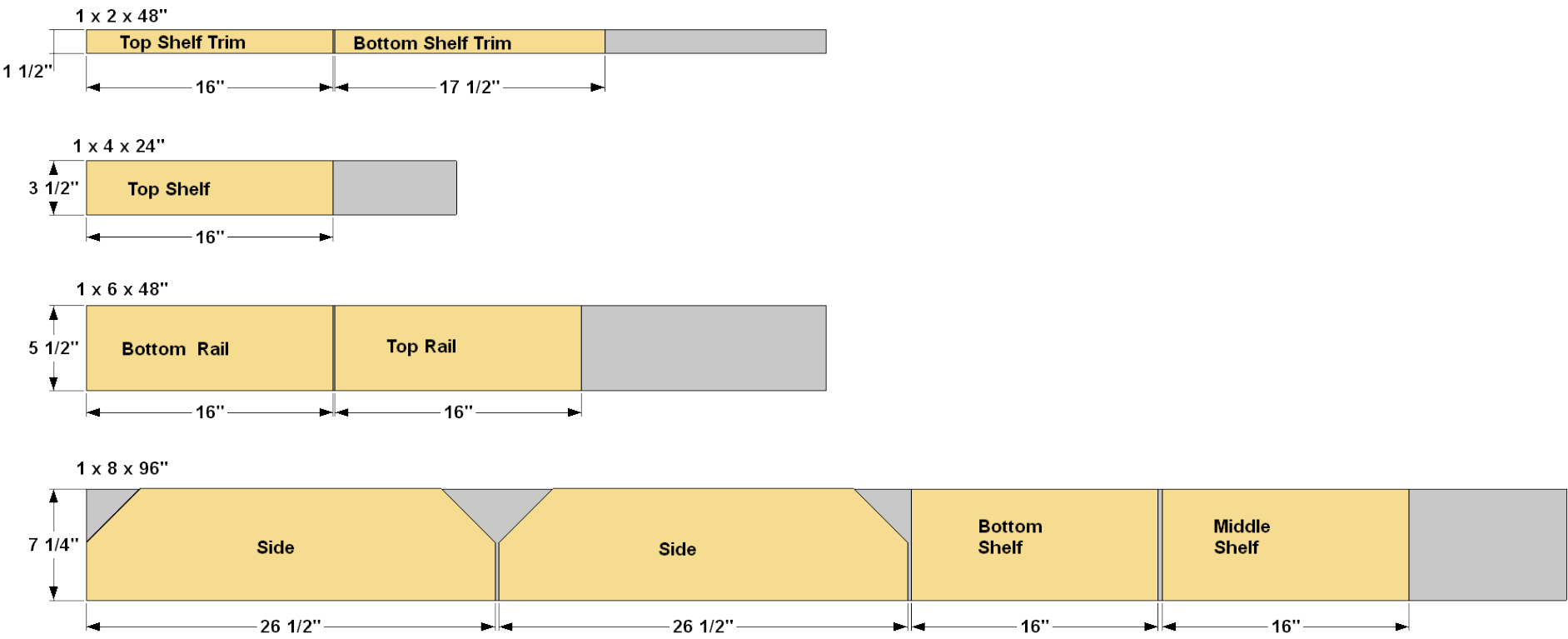
- 1 Pine Board , 1x2 X 48"
- 1 Pine Board , 1x3 X 48"
- 1 Pine Board , 1x4 X 24"
- 1 Pine Board , 1x6 X 48"
- 1 Pine Board , 1x8 X 96"

Hardware & Supplies

- 35 1 1/4" Coarse-thread Kreg Pocket-Hole Screws
- 2 3" Wood Screws

Cut List & Parts

- 1 Top Shelf , 3/4" X 3 1/2" X 16"
- 1 Top Shelf Trim , 3/4" X 1 1/2" X 16"
- 1 Top Rail , 3/4" X 5 1/2" X 16"
- 1 Middle Shelf , 3/4" X 7 1/4" X 16"
- 2 Side , 3/4" X 7 1/4" X 26 1/2"
- 1 Bottom Shelf , 3/4" X 7 1/4" X 16"
- 1 Bottom Shelf Trim , 3/4" X 1 1/2" X 17 1/2"
- 1 Bottom Rail , 3/4" X 5 1/2" X 16"

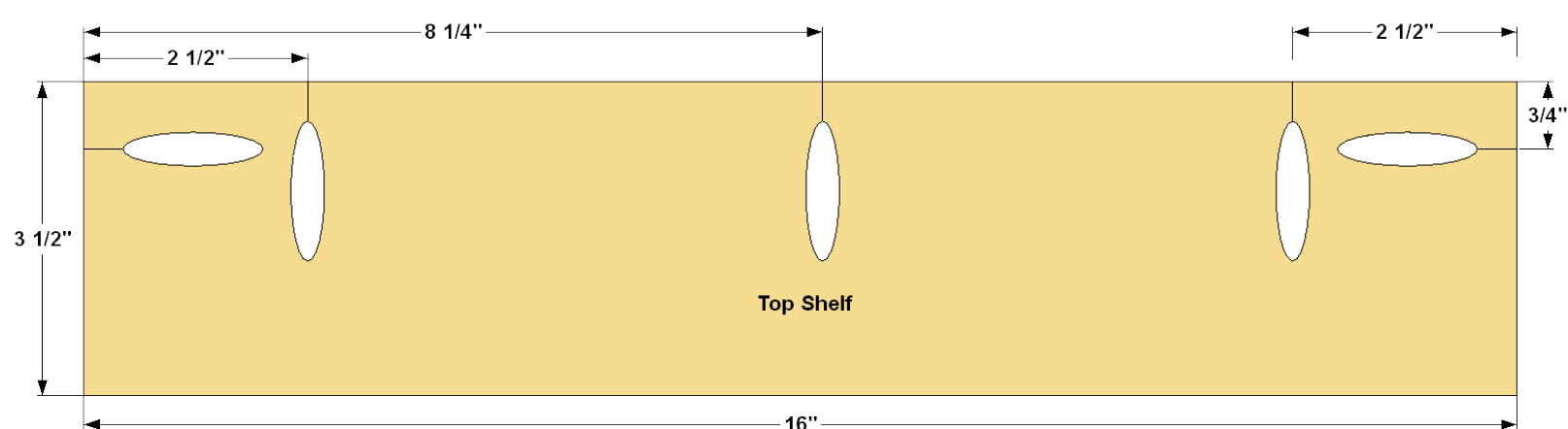


Directions

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Make a Top Shelf

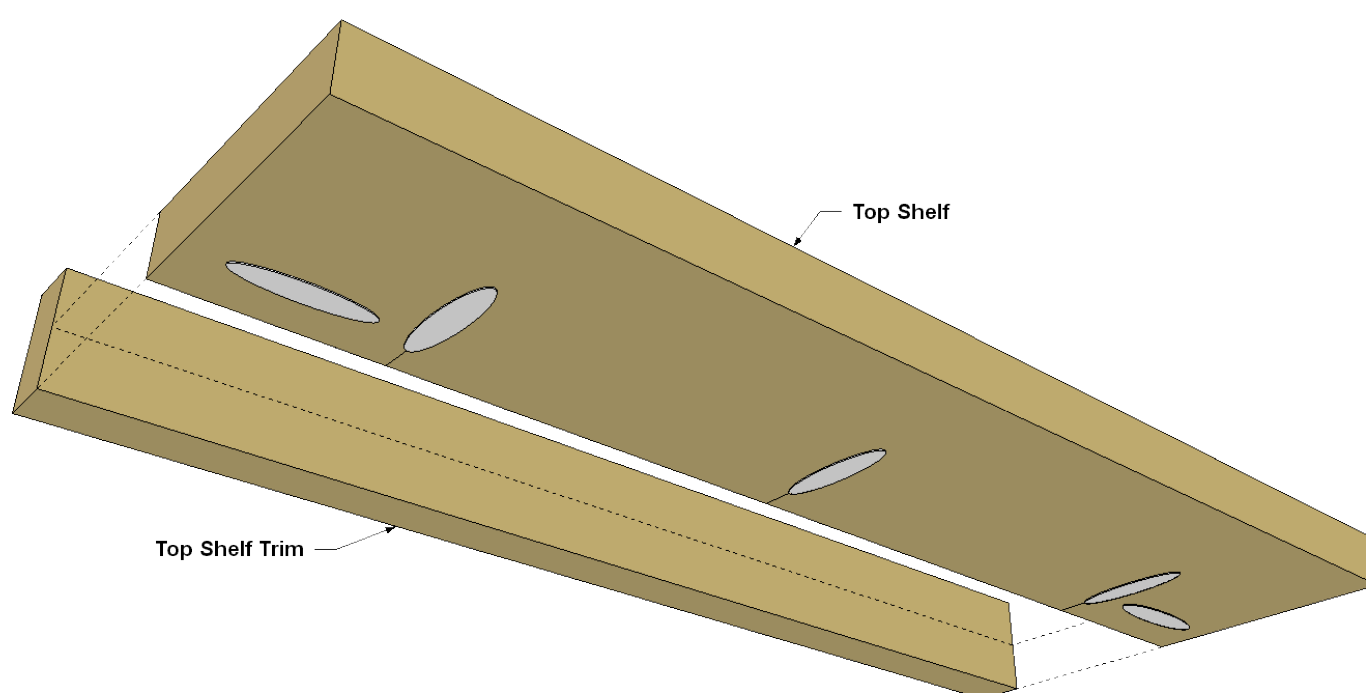
Cut a Top Shelf to length from a 1x4 board, as shown in the cutting diagram. Set your Kreg® Pocket-Hole Jig for 3/4"-thick material, and then drill pocket holes in the Top Shelf, as shown. Sand the faces smooth.



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Add Top Shelf Trim

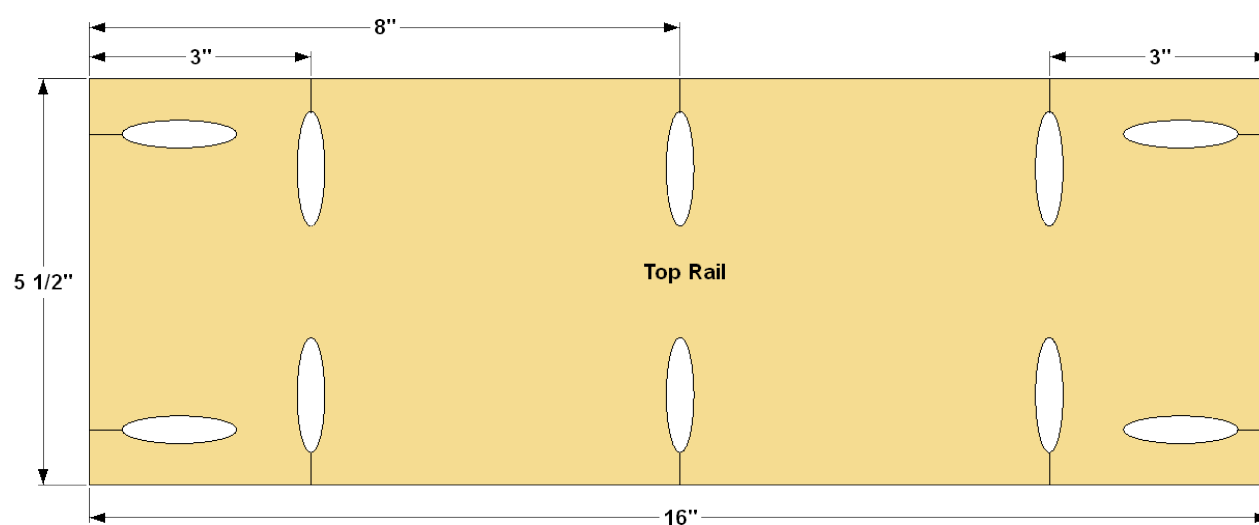
Now cut a piece of Top Shelf Trim from a 1x2 board, as shown in the cutting diagram, and sand the faces smooth. Then attach the Trim to the Top Shelf using 1 1/4" coarse-thread Kreg Pocket-Hole Screws, as shown.



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Make a Top Rail

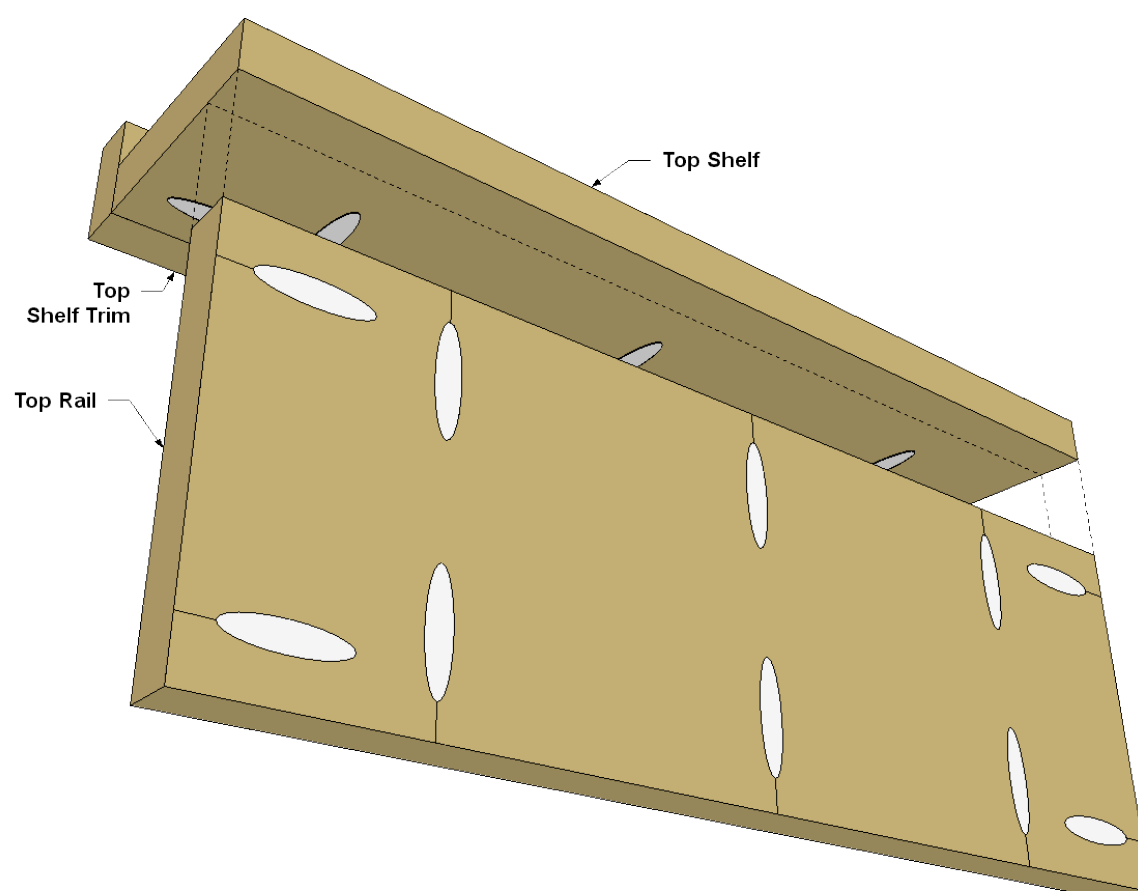
Cut a Top Rail to length from a 1x6 board, as shown in the cutting diagram. Drill pocket holes in the Top Rail, as shown, and then sand the faces smooth.



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Attach the Top Rail

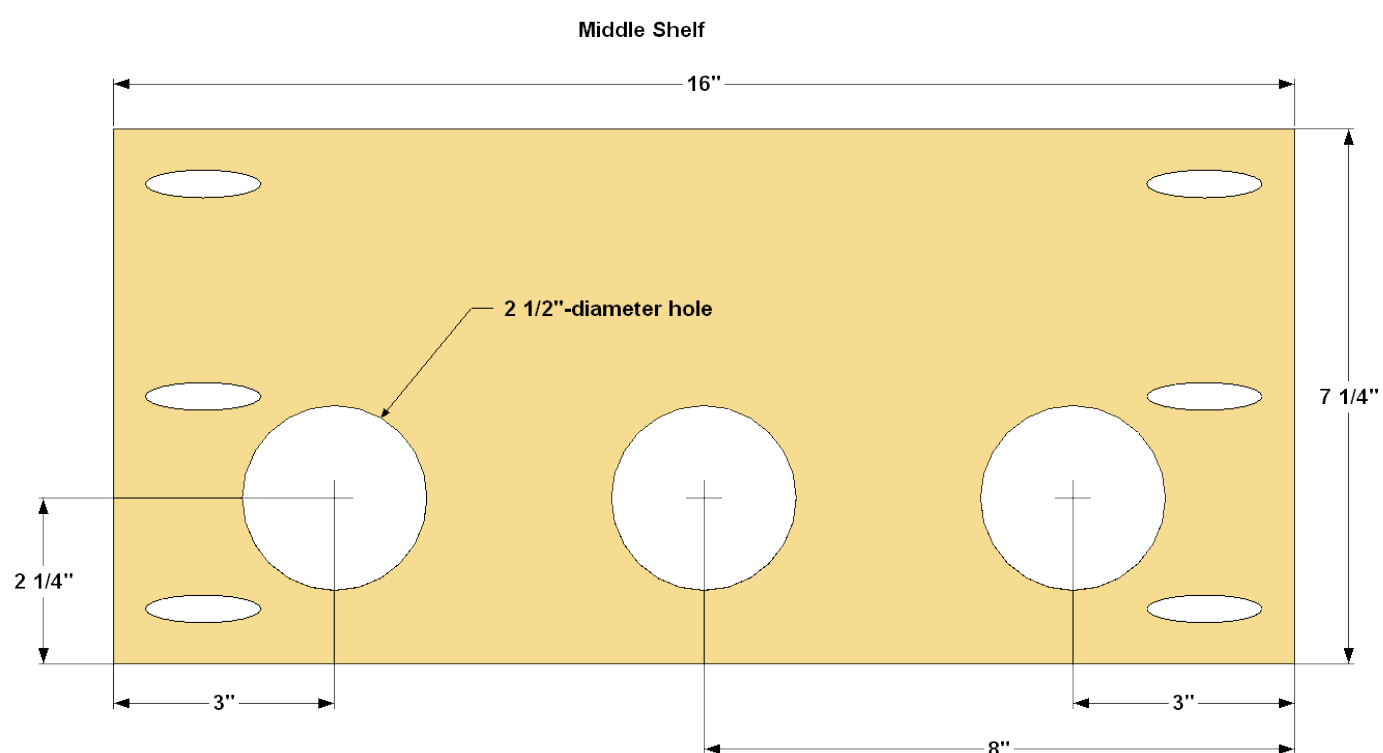
Now you can attach the Top Shelf assembly to the Top Rail using 1 1/4" coarse-thread Kreg Pocket-Hole Screws.



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Make the Middle Shelf

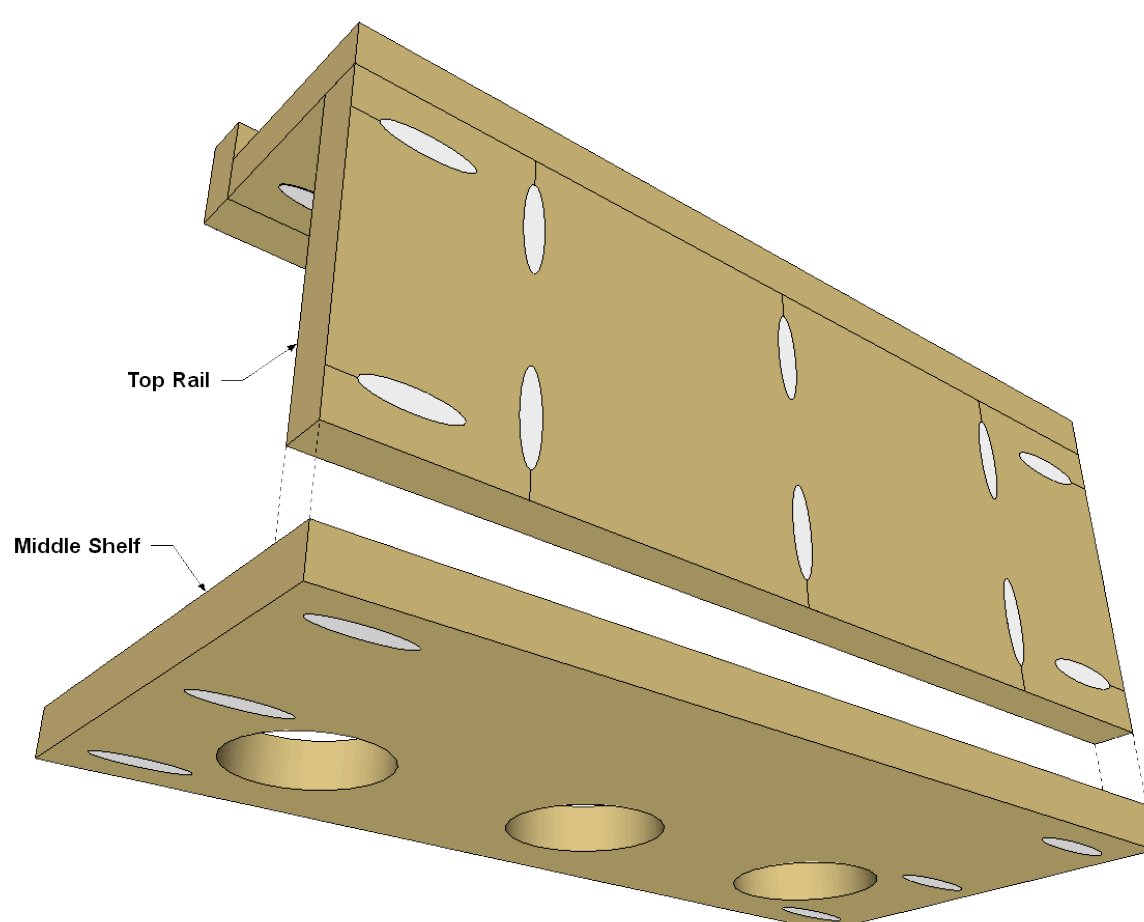
Cut a Middle Shelf to length from a 1x8 board, as shown in the cutting diagram. Drill pocket holes at the ends, as shown. Then lay out and drill three 2 1/2"-diameter holes where shown. You'll be able to slip your drill chucks into these holes for storage. Sand the faces smooth.



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Attach the Middle Shelf

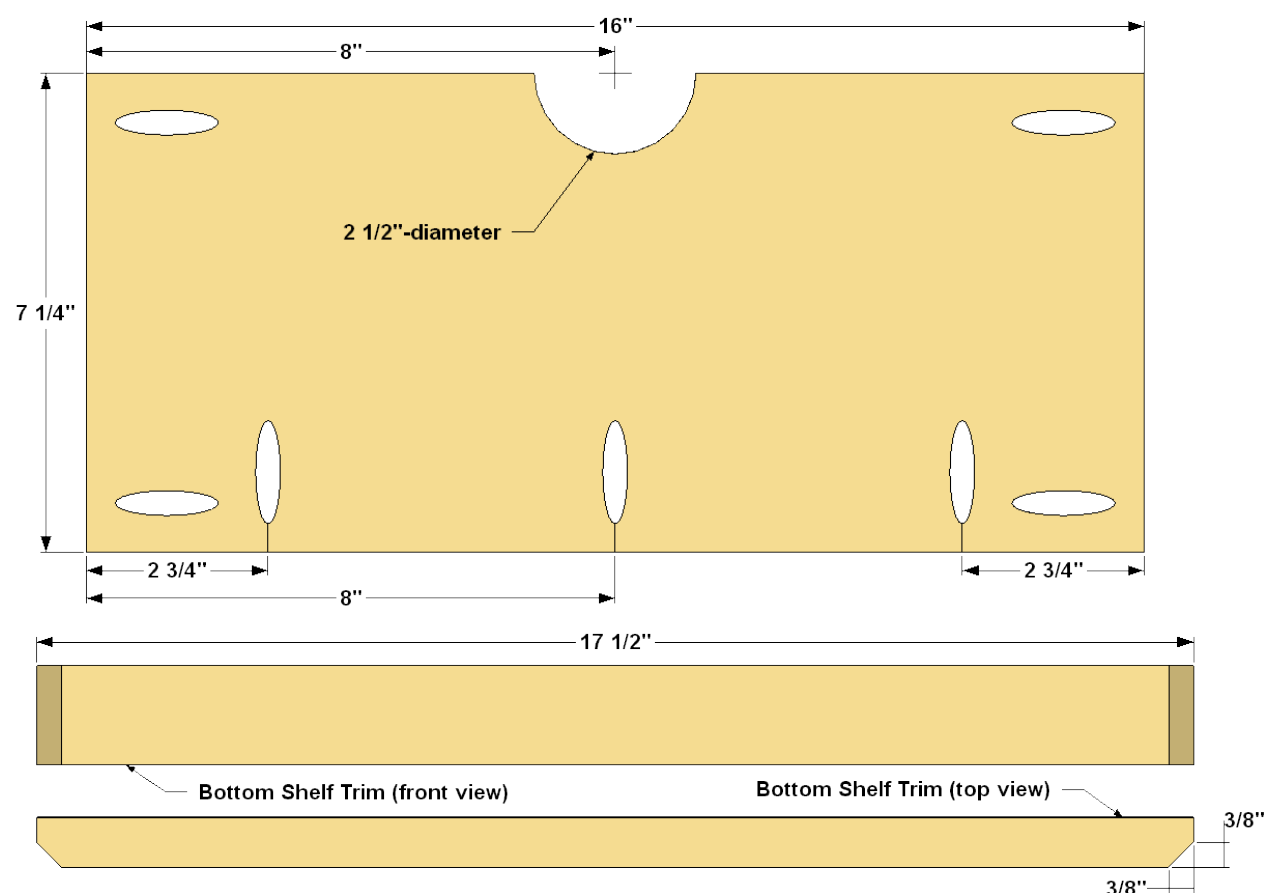
Next, attach the Middle Shelf to the Top Shelf/Rail assembly using 1 1/4" coarse-thread Kreg Pocket-Hole Screws. Make sure that the ends of the all the pieces are flush, and sand them if needed.



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Make the Bottom Shelf Parts

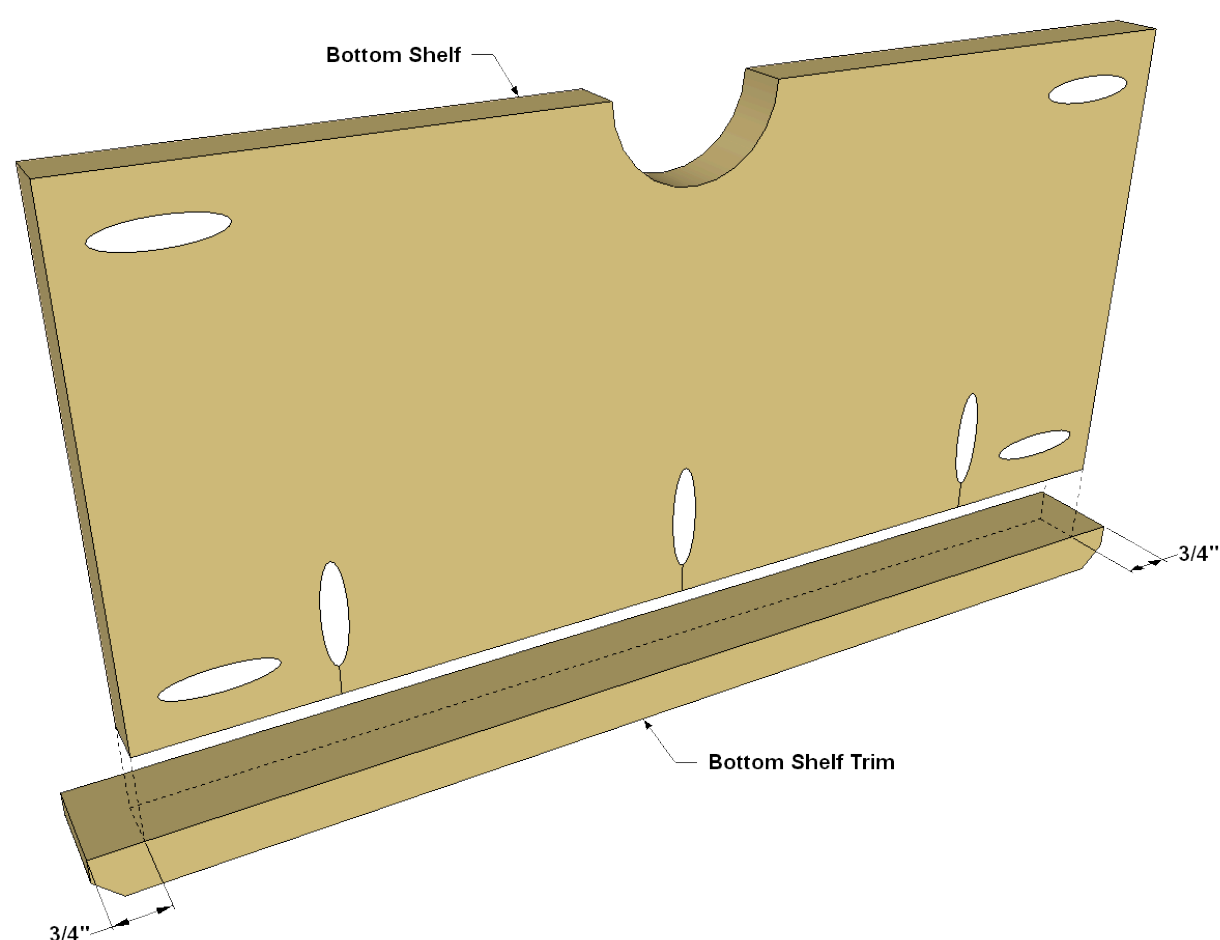
Cut a Bottom Shelf to length from a 1x8 board, as shown in the cutting diagram. Drill pocket holes at the locations shown. Then drill a half-circle cutout along the back edge of the Middle Shelf using a 2 1/2" hole saw, as shown. The easiest way to do this is to clamp a scrap piece along the edge of the shelf, then drill where the board meet. You can also cut the Bottom Shelf Trim from a 1x2 board. Then cut the profile at each end, as shown. Just stand the piece on edge on your miter saw, set the saw for a 45° miter, and trim off the corners.



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Assemble the Bottom Shelf

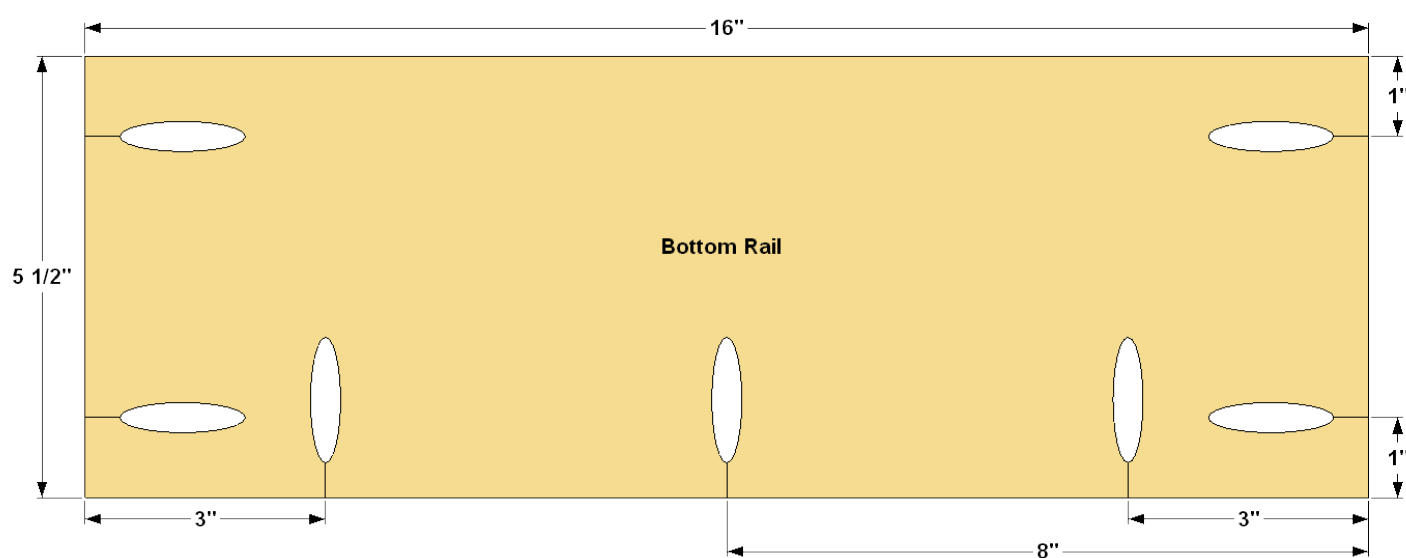
Position the Bottom Shelf Trim, as shown, so that it overhangs the Bottom Shelf by 3/4" on each end, and so that the lower edge of the Trim is flush with the underside of the Shelf. Attach the Trim to the Bottom Shelf using 1 1/4" coarse-thread Kreg Pocket-Hole Screws.



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Create a Bottom Rail

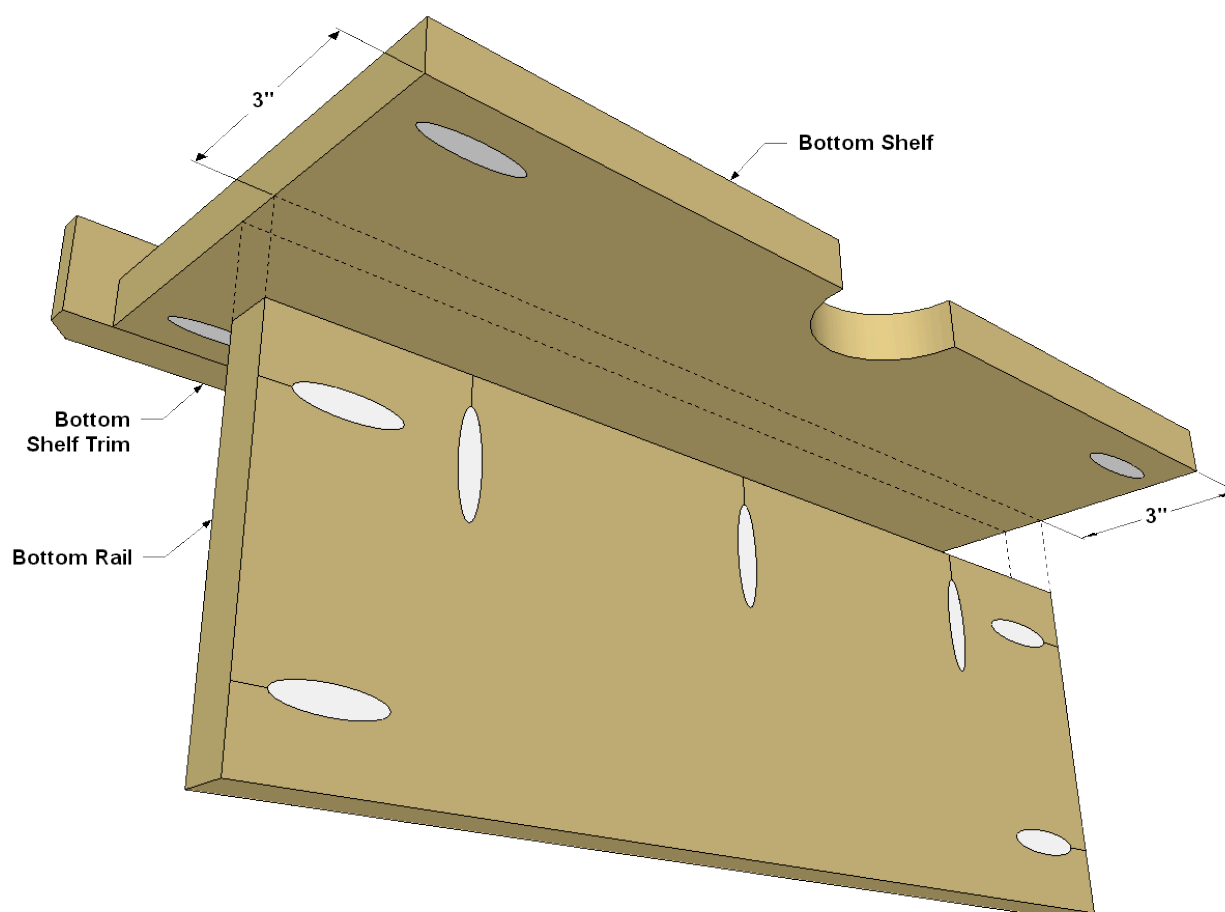
Cut a Bottom Rail to length from a 1x6 board, as shown in the cutting diagram. Drill pocket holes in the Bottom Rail, as shown, and then sand the faces smooth.



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Attach the Bottom Rail

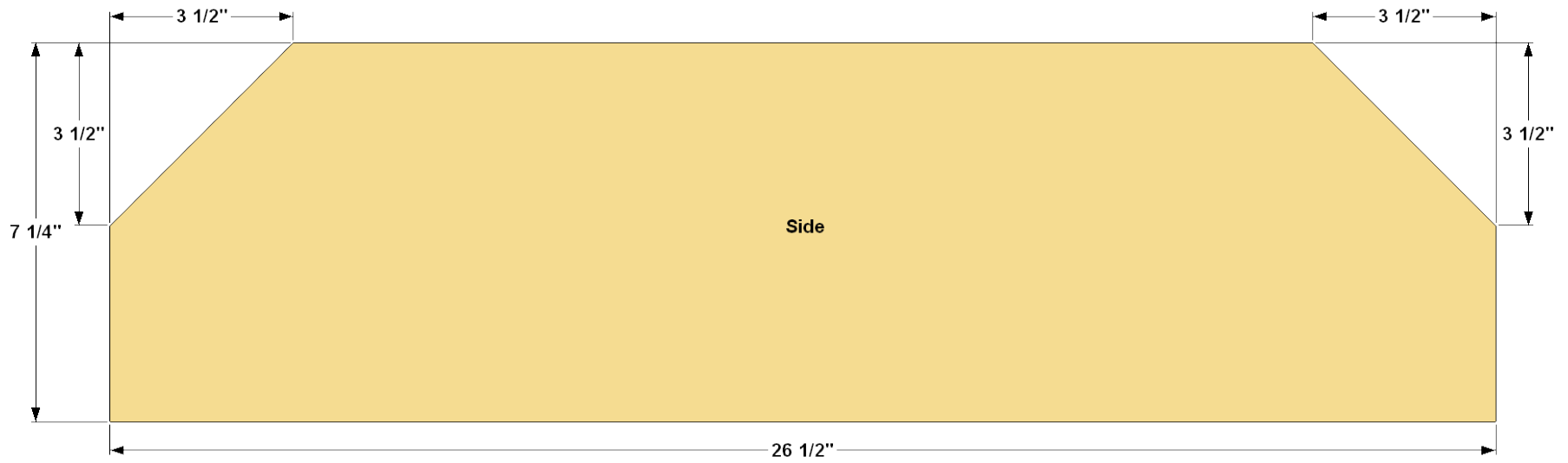
Now you can attach the Bottom Rail to the Bottom Shelf assembly using 1 1/4" coarse-thread Kreg Pocket-Hole Screws, as shown. Make sure that the ends of the Bottom Rail and the Bottom Shelf are flush, and sand them if needed.



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Make the Sides

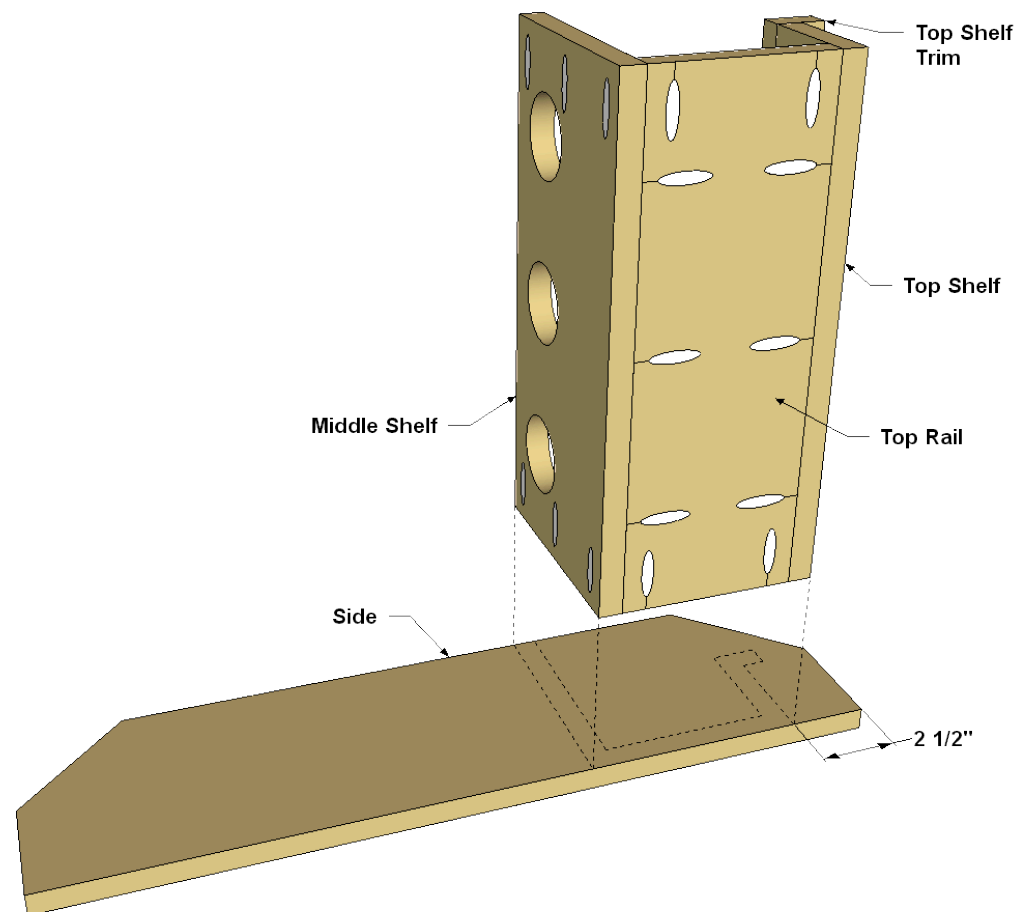
Cut two Sides to length from a 1x8 board, as shown in the cutting diagram. Then cut the angles on the ends, as shown. You can do this easily with a miter saw by setting the saw for a 45° cut. Sand the faces, edges, and ends smooth.



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Attach the Middle Shelf Assembly

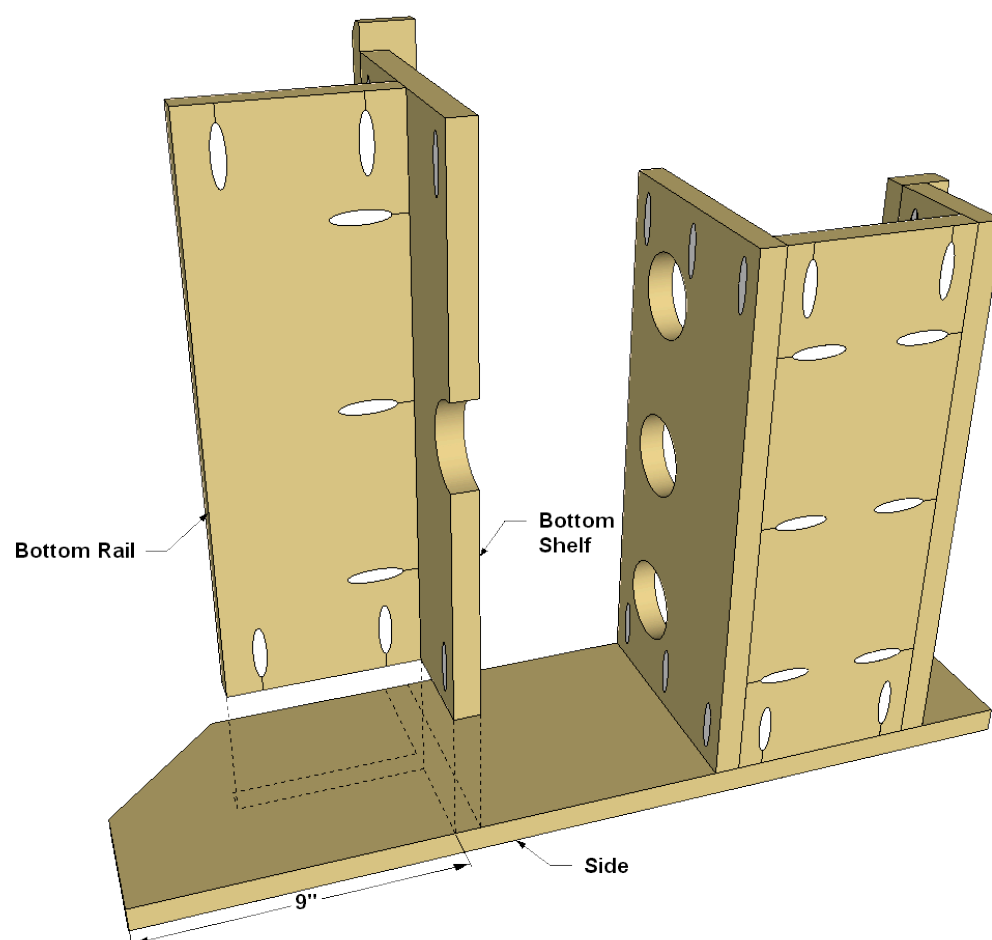
With the parts all made and the subassemblies together, you can begin final assembly. Position the Middle Shelf/Rail/Top Shelf assembly as shown, and then attach these pieces using 1 1/4" coarse-thread Kreg Pocket-Hole Screws.



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Add the Bottom Shelf Assembly

Position the Bottom Shelf/Rail assembly, as shown, and attach it to the Side using 1 1/4" coarse-thread Kreg Pocket-Hole Screws.



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Add the Other Side

To complete your charging station, attach the other Side, as shown. You can use the station as is, or you can add a coat of paint or finish. We wiped on a couple coats of oil finish. Then you can mount a power strip to the backside of the Bottom Rail. That way, you can plug your chargers into the power strip, rather than needing a separate wall outlet for each one. Finally, hang your charging station on the wall. If possible, locate it over a wall stud, and drive two 3" screws through the Top Rail and into the stud. If you can't locate the station over a stud, use medium- or heavy-duty wall anchors.

