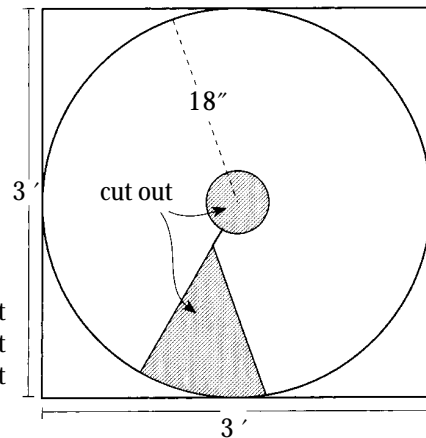
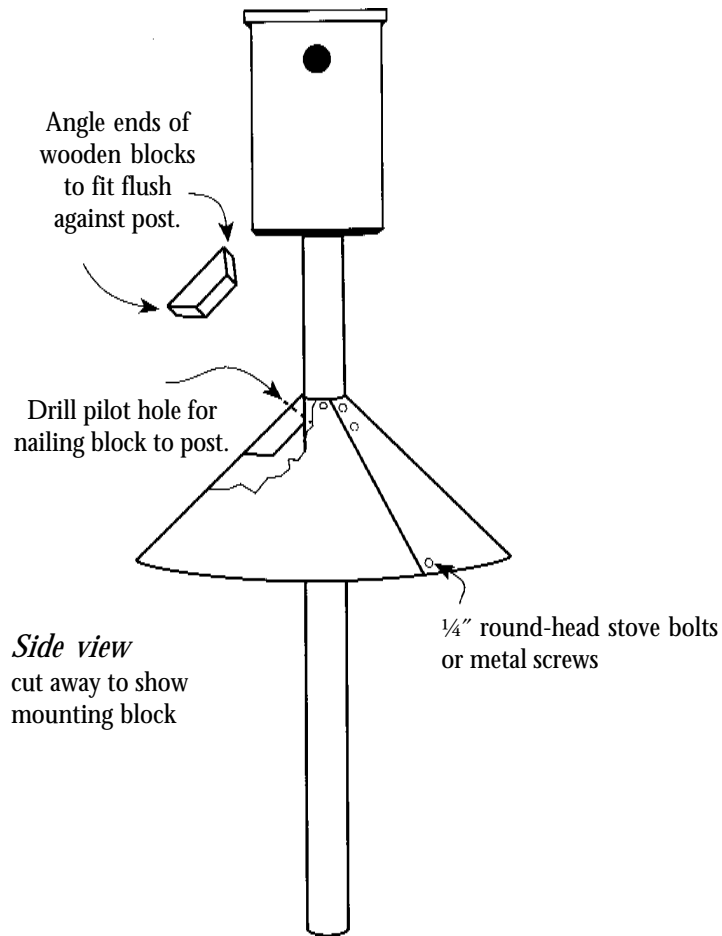


# A Plan for a Conical Predator Guard

## Materials List

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|--|---|
| 24- or 26-gauge galvanized sheet metal ..... | 3' x 3'                                   |
| Wood mounting blocks (3) .....               | 4" x 1½" x 1½"                            |
| Hardware .....                               | ¼" round-head stove bolts or metal screws |



5" hole fits 4" post  
 6" hole fits 5" post  
 7¼" hole fits 6" post

Cut predator guard from a 3' x 3' piece of 24- or 26-gauge galvanized sheet metal. Join sides with ¼" round-head stove bolts or metal screws. Use angled wooden blocks to nail guard in place.

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