

alt_[b.in] Initiative

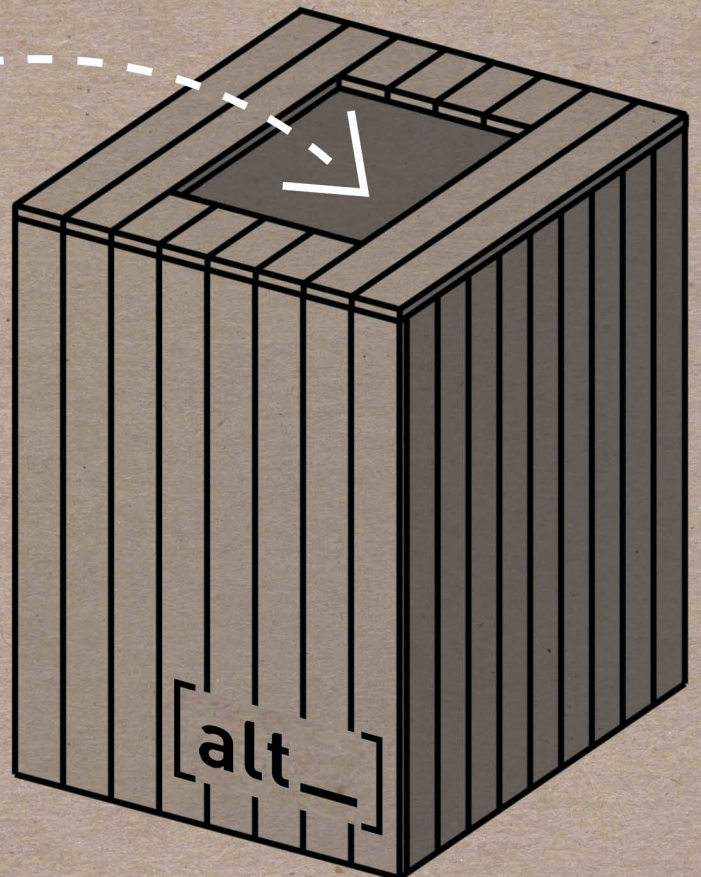


In the U.S. the average person produces approximately over 4 lbs of garbage per day, for a total of 1,600 lbs per year. In Chicago, 1.1. million tons of garbage and recyclables are produced in Chicago per year.

alt_ Chicago partners with Guero Pallets Inc. and volunteer participants to present **alt_ Bins**- consciously designed garbage bins made from recycled pallets to help reduce waste in our beloved communities.

Our goal

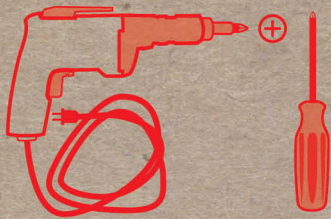
We aim to reduce 2400 gallons/20,016lbs/ 10 tons per bin a year. By adopting a bin with alt_ you help shift the narrative about disinvested neighborhoods in the city of Chicago.



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Tools

Philips head screwdriver



Safety glasses



Materials

Slats

34"



2x4s

4x21" and
4x28"



Screws

2"



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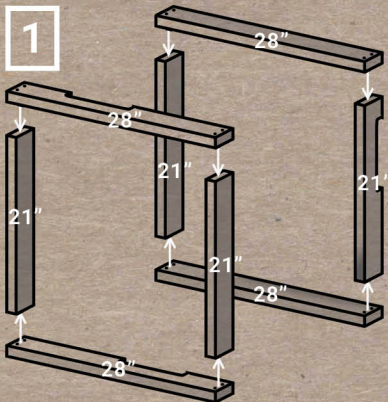
1-5/8"



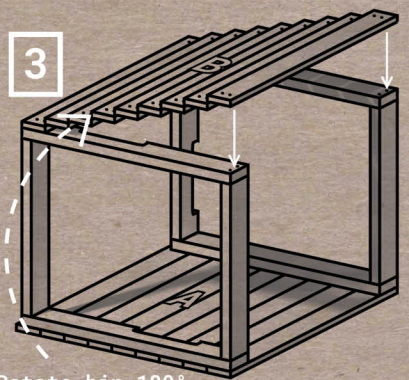
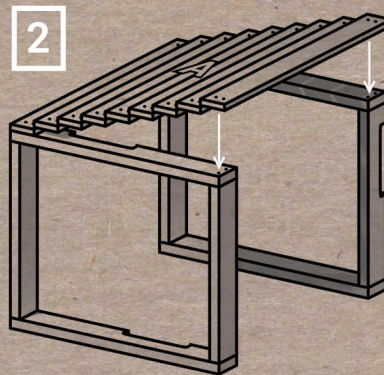
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Assembly

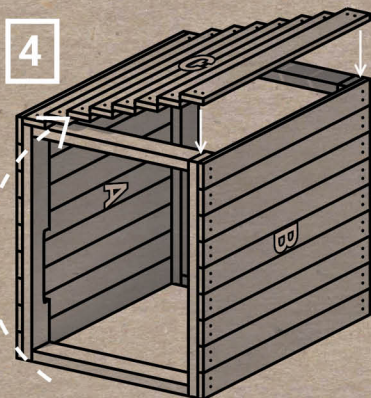
Use 2" screws on frames



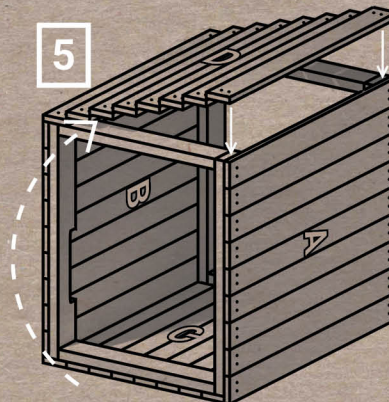
Attach 34" slats with 1-1/8" screws



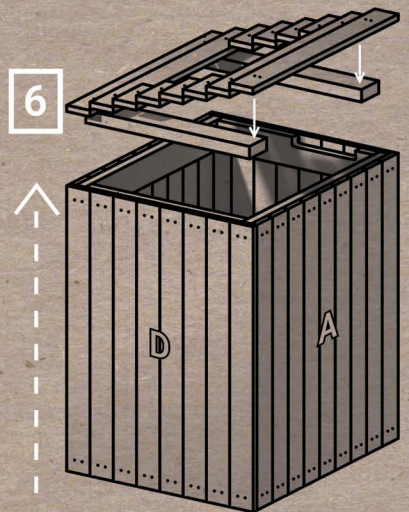
Rotate bin 180°



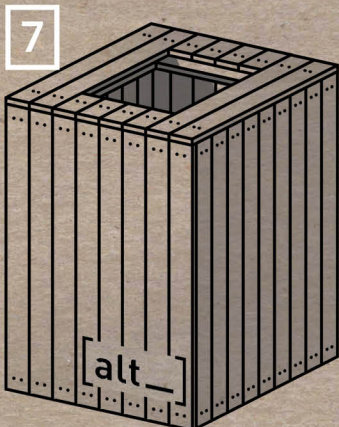
Rotate bin 90°



Rotate bin 180°



Place bin upright and assemble lid



Lid

Ensure slats extend past the 2x4 edge at least 2"

