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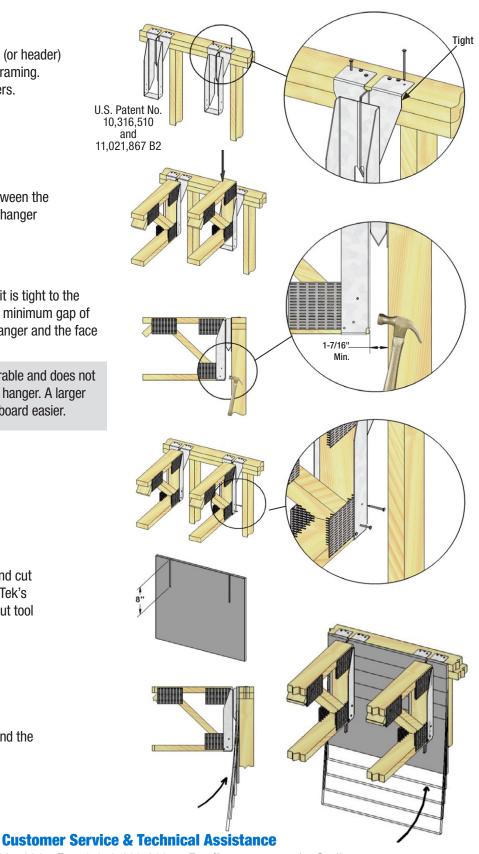
FWH Fire Wall Hanger

Installation Instructions

- **1.** Place the FWH hanger on top of the wall (or header) with the flanges tight to the face of the framing. Nail into place with the specified fasteners.
- **2.** Drop the trusses into place. The gap between the end of the truss and the top of the FWH hanger should be 1/8"or less.
- **3.** Tap the bottom of the FWH hanger until it is tight to the end of the floor truss. There should be a minimum gap of 1-7/16" between the back of the FWH hanger and the face of the stud wall.

NOTE: A gap greater than 1-7/16" is preferable and does not decrease the load carrying capacity of the hanger. A larger gap makes the installation of the gypsum board easier.

- **4.** Nail the FWH hanger to the truss using the specified fasteners.
- 5. Mark the location of the FWH hangers and cut an 8" slot in the gypsum board using MiTek's FHW-T Fire Wall Template, drywall cut-out tool and spiral cutting bit.
- **6.** Swing the gypsum board into place behind the FWH hanger and fasten to wall framing.



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