

# **Stone Deck Installation Points**

- 1. Frame deck 16 inches on center.**
- 2. Install solid blocking every 5 feet.**
- 3. Check that framing is square using 3-4-5 method by running string lines down center joist and along the front edge of first stone course.**
- 4. Screw down a joist plate for the first course using the string line as a guide (16" off of rim joist).**
- 5. Space the joist plate on the rest of the joist working from the center joist toward the outside edges. (Spacing is 16 inches on center).**
- 6. Use PL400 to glue down first row following string line.**
- 7. Tap joist into the groove in the backing aligning spacers tight to the stone.**
- 8. Screw the joist plate into the joist using the center hole in the spline and two more screws in two opposing holes.**
- 9. Using a no-mar-rubber mallet, tap next row of panels into place and repeat steps 6 and 7 until surface is complete.**
- 10. Seal deck with a stone sealer.**