# High Road - November

## **Cutting Instructions**

### Background fabric

16 - 12" squares

#### Feature fabric

Many 1" strips of varying lengths (use wider or slimmer strips if you want)

### Pick=Up Sticks Instructions

This is an improvisational block (improv) so each one should be slightly different. Basically, slice through your 12" block and insert a 1" strip and sew it back together. Repeat 2 or 3 times (maybe even 4 times). There is no wrong way of making these blocks. This block is also called "slice & dice" using the second link listed below.

You will make 16 blocks - trim them up to a finished 8" (8 1/2 unfinished).

Check out the websites linked below.

http://empirebom.blogspot.com/2012/08/september-orange-pick-up-sticks.html

https://aquilterstable.blogspot.com/2016/05/crosscut-blocks.html

This next link gives a more random look. The strips to be inserted are all different widths and shapes. Just make sure that the block you start with is 12" and that you trim it up to 8 1/2".

http://theorlandomodernquiltguild.blogspot.com/2018/05/block-of-month-for-june-meeting.html

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