Installation Specifications

Edge restraint must be used anywhere the unit pavers are not otherwise permanently restrained from any horizontal movement.

Snap Edge can be easily installed after unit pavers are laid but prior to compaction.

NOTE! Compacted aggregate base must be extended 6” beyond the edge of the pavers to accommodate the plastic edge restraint. The edge must be placed directly on the compacted base, not on the sand setting bed.

Placing Snap Edge Restraints:

Place edging all along exposed edges of the pavers in full pieces wherever possible. Make sure the unique snap together feature is used to firmly join one piece to the next. If a short piece must be used, snap it at one end and then place nail through every hole for extra support. Avoid using pieces that don’t snap into at least one neighboring piece.

Anchoring Snap Edge:

- For patios and walkways, place an 8” – 10” spike every 2’ except at sharp curves or corners where more concentration is required.
- Corners – one on each side.
- Curves – one in each hole until curve is complete.
- For residential & commercial vehicular applications, place a spike every foot, except at sharp curves or corners, then, same as above.
- For commercial vehicular applications, place a spike every 8” except at sharp curves or corners, then, same as above.

Backfilling Snap Edge:

Once construction is complete, it is important to cover the edge restraint with sand, soil or sod. This is important for appearance and prevents UV damage to the plastic over time.