



Engineering What's Next  
in Outdoor Living®

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Below is an updated listing of recommended fasteners for Trex Decking and Composite Fascia products.

DECKING - HIDDEN FASTENERS	Transcend®	Enhance® (solid profile)	Enhance® (scalloped profile)	Select®
Trex Hideaway® Universal Hidden Fastener	X	X	X	X
Trex Hideaway® Connector Clip	X	X	X	
TigerClaw® TC-G Hidden Fastener	x*		X	X
Cortex® Concealed Fasteners**	X	X		X
Starborn® Pro Plug® System for PVC & Composite (Epoxy Coated & Stainless) (2" are approved for sleeper & roof top applications only)	X	X		X
Simpson Strong Tie Deck Drive™ DCU Composite Screw & DCU Plugs (Handdrive only & must also use Auto-Set Drive Bit)	X	X		X
DECKING – COMPOSITE SCREWS	Transcend®	Enhance® (solid profile)	Enhance® (scalloped profile)	Select®
FastenMaster® TrapEase 3 Ultimate Composite Deck Screw	X	X	X	X
Simpson Strong Tie Deck Drive™ DCU Composite Screw (Collated & Handdrive)	X	X	X	X
Quik Drive® Composi-Lok Deck Screw	X	X	X	X
SplitStop™ Titan III Composite Screw	X	X	X	X
Starborn® Cap-Tor® xd Epoxy Coated & Headcote® Stainless (available collated for Muro CH7390 Driver) (2" are approved for sleeper & roof top applications only)	X	X	X	X
Screw Products C-Deck Exterior Star Drive Composite Deck Screw	X	X	X	X
Phillips II Plus® Pozisquare	X	X	X	X
Muro® T-Screw Torx Stainless Steel Screw - Collated (TX0212SFD or M-TX0300SEP)	X	X	X	X
Kameleon™ GRKFasteners™				X
FASCIA	Transcend®	Enhance®	Select®	
Cortex® Hidden Fastening System for Fascia	X	X	X	
Starborn® Pro Plug® System for Fascia – Epoxy & Stainless	X	X	X	
Starborn® Deckfast® Fascia System – Epoxy Coated* and Headcote® Stainless	X	X	X	
SplitStop™ Fascia Screws	X	X	X	
Simpson Strong-Tie Fascia Board Screw	X	X	X	



**IMPORTANT ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

- **DO NOT USE ANY HIDDEN FASTENERS THAT ARE PLUG BASED WITH TREX ENHANCE PROFILES WITH SCALLOPED BOTTOM.**
- **Trex recommends the use of two screws per joist.**
- All recommended screws are designed to be installed flush with decking surface. DO NOT countersink screws.
- Use recommended stainless steel screws in any areas near bodies of salt water.
- 2-3/4" or 3" screws can be used with Trex 2x6 product.
- Muro T-Screw M-TX0300SEP listed above is approved for 2x6 decking (can also be used with standard 1" (decking as listed above). This screw is collated and can be used with Muro Auto Feed Screw Gun FDVL41 Speed Driver. (NOTE: THIS IS NOT A COLOR-MATCH SCREW.)
- All decking products are approved for use with Trex Hideaway Hidden Fasteners, thus all decking products can be routed according to our instructions.
- Simpson Strong-Tie Deck Drive DCU Composite Screw in collated versions works with Quik Drive gun.
- Fascia system screws listed above **can only be used with composite fascia profiles**, and cannot be used with standard thickness decking boards used as fascia. Use stainless steel screws near water applications.
- \* Approved only for Trex Transcend Generation 2 decking (redesigned groove).

Transcend Grooved Decking	
Generation 1 Not Approved	Generation 2 Approved
	

- \*\* Not for use with sleeper systems. Refer to FastenMaster® literature for more information.
- Contact 1-800-BUY-TREX for Escapes fastener recommendations.

If any condition occurs which is attributable to the use of non-recommended fasteners, such condition shall not be covered under the Trex Limited Warranty.