



To construct the QOV banner, cut out the letters and trace on to fusible web, right side up (these templates are mirror image). Iron the web to the wrong side of the fabric, then cut out the letters. Before peeling off the paper, fold the letters on the line and lightly press. This line will help you place the letters on your background fabric.

Your background fabric should be a minimum of 9 inches high (finished) and approximately 96 inches wide (finished). Lightly press in half horizontally to give you a placement line for your letters. When placing the letters, start with the large O - this is approximately center. The letters will look best if they are placed so that there is equal distance between the closest points. (In the example below, the space between the V and the A is too wide on the left.) Once all the letters are place, you can trim the edges of the background fabric so the text is properly centered horizontally and so it will fit your border.

For my banner, I used 3" (finished blocks), alternating red and blue with two rows around the border. I machine applied the letters. It can be hemmed or quilted. If you've got a sleeve for hanging, a 1/2 inch pvc pipe works great.

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