## Downeast Thunder Farm Delaware Hen Pattern

Note: Unless otherwise notes, I used three strands of embroidery floss.

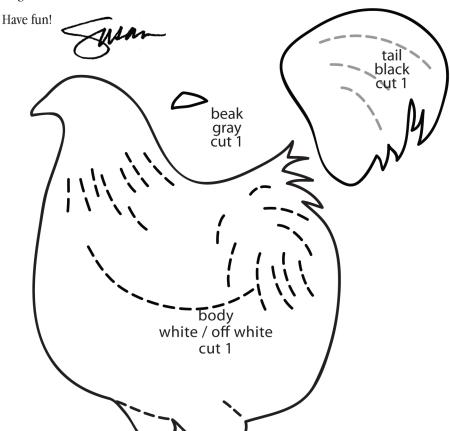
Pin the beak into place and tack. Place and pin the face on to the body so it slightly overlaps the beak. Cut a circle of black felt for the eye. Tack it on to the face.

Position and pin the tail feather to the back of the body-front. Add the decorative stitching to the body-front that create the look of feathers. For some of these "feathers" I used six strands of embroidery floss, while on others I used on three strands.

Add a few "feathers" to the tail by adding the decorative stitching with gray embroidery floss.

Pin the completed body front and body back together. Use a blanket stitch to sew the two pieces together, pausing to stuff with fiberfill before finishing.

Create the legs with a bit of folded wire tucked between the two body pieces, or use a couple of twigs.



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