Deep Fly Front

How to modify McCall's Pattern 5142 to get a deeper fly by Jen Delk

Attach Fly Facing to the Pants front at center line. Cut out revised pants front

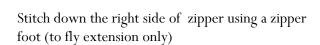
With right sides together, baste along center front line to dot (circled).

Press center seam open.



Align pants so that the fly extension is resting on the table not on the pants front.

Place zipper face down with tape aligned with center seam. Align Zipper Stop with large circle. Pin in place.





Turn zipper over to right side (don't move the pants around, just the zipper). Pin the zipper and edge stitch in place.

Take the other half of the fly extension and fold it over on top of the zipper (don't move the pants around, just the flap).

Pin the flap to the zipper and stitch them together.

There shouldn't be any stitches on the outside of the jeans yet.



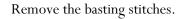
Open up the pants and pin the fly extension to the pants front. Pin the fly extension down.





Flip the pants over and re-pin the right side of the fabric. Remove pins from the wrong side of the fabric.

Transfer the markings for the topstitching and topstitch along the line (you shouldn't hit the zipper)







Remove the excess fabric from the fly extension using the zipper tape as a guide.

Pin the fly facing to the zipper tape.





Stitch the fly facing to the zipper tape. I used an overlock stitch to prevent the fabric from fraying.

Sew a bar tack or zig-zag at the bottom of the fly seam.

