



## **Serger Club**

**September 2019**

### **Cosmetic Bag**

1. Cut the 2 pieces of fabric and batting 8 ½" x 13".
2. Mark lines for stitching 1" apart. Chain stitch along lines.
3. Serge the edge of the zipper to the bag.
4. Close zipper and mark zipper placement lines.
5. Open zipper and serger the other side of zipper to fabric.
6. Fold the bag with the zipper one inch below the top fold of the bag.
7. Lay fabric right sides together and serge along the edge where the bottom of the zipper is located, cutting off the excess zipper.
8. Open zipper about two inches. Serge along the remaining edge.
9. Turn right side out.

\*\*If you don't have a chain stitch on your machine you can set your machine for a rolled hem.

10. With chain stitch, stitch 9 yards of chain or rolled hem.
11. Wrap 8 yards of chain around a 3" ruler or cardboard. Apply seam sealant to one edge of the wrapped chain. Let dry.
12. Tie the wrapped loop that does not have seam sealant on them together with about 10" of remaining chain.
13. Slide the chain off the ruler or cardboard and cut the loops at the sealant end.
14. Wrap the tied ends of the tassel with the remaining piece of chain. Tie to the zipper pull.

