## **RAFFLE BLOCK OF THE MONTH NOVEMBER 2016**

Think warm and cozy! Like a plaid flannel shirt!



**BLOCK- Nine Patch Plaid** 

BLOCK PICTURESIZE - (Finished)- 6" (6 1/2" unfinished)

FABRIC CHOICE- reproduction (Civil War), Kansas Trouble types, tans, browns, darker greens, and blues, duller colors all with a red center to symbolize the hearth fire

## **CUTTING-**

1 red 2 ½" x 2 ½" square

4 dark value 2 ½" x 2 ½" squares

4 lighter value 2 ½" x 21/2" squares

## **SEWING-**

- 1. Arrange squares following the diagram with red as the center surrounded by darker color with light squares in the corners
- 2. Using a  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance (SA) with a 2.0 (12 stitches to the inch) stitch length, sew the squares together for each row. Press all seams toward the dark value squares
- 3. Sew the three sets together press the seams away from the center row



block should measure 6 1/2" x 6 ½

**CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS FOR using CHARM SQUARES (1 dark & 1 light value)** 

Cut the 5" charm in half in both directions to yield 4 2 %" x 2 %" squares. Also cut one 2 % " red square.

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