

Snowmobiler triggered slide in Lionhead

LIONHEAD AREA

Lionhead Range

1/8/2019

Code

SS-AMr-R2-D2

Elevation

9000

Aspect

SE

Latitude

44.73330

Longitude

-111.32500

Notes

A snowmobiler triggered this small, but deep avalanche as he rode under the slope.

From his email, "We were riding as a group of 5. All with beacons ,shovels, probes and 4 with inflate packs. The hill broke as I was side hilling. I was just ahead of it and not knocked off the sled."

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Snowmobile

Trigger Modifier

r-A remote avalanche released by the indicated trigger

R size

2

D size

2

Problem Type

Persistent Weak Layer

Images

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Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

[18-19](#)