

Snowmachine triggered wind slabs near Cooke

Sheep Mountain

Cooke City

12/17/2020

Code

SS-AM-I

Aspect

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Latitude

45.07220

Longitude

-109.92800

Notes

A snowbiker reported to GNFAC forecaster, while in the field near Cooke City on 12/18, that he had triggered a few slides on the east face of Sheep mountain, north of Round Lake.

Number of slides

3

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Snowmobile

Bed Surface

I - Interface between new and old snow

Problem Type

Wind-Drifted Snow

Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Multiple Avalanches

Advisory Year

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