Natural large slab in Mineral Mtn.

Mineral Mountain
Cooke City
4/18/2022
Code
SS-N-R2-D2-I
Elevation
9800
Aspect
E
Latitude
45.03030
Longitude
-109.99800
Notes

On 4/18/22 we saw a large natural slab on east facing Mineral Mtn. around 9,800', on a wind loaded slope below cliffs. Happened yesterday or maybe this morning. Photo: GNFAC

Number of slides
1
Number caught
0
Number buried
0
Avalanche Type
Soft slab avalanche
Trigger
Natural trigger
R size
2
D size
2
Bed Surface
I - Interface between new and old snow
Problem Type
New Snow
Slab Thickness
12.0 inches
Vertical Fall
800ft
Slab Width
210.00ft
Images
Natural Avalanche on Mineral Mtn. Apr 18
Slab Thickness units
inches
Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche
Advisory Year
21-22