Cracking/collapsing and human triggered slide, Portal Creek

Portal Creek Northern Gallatin 1/9/2019 Code SS-AM-R1-D1-O Latitude 45.25990 Longitude -111.13800 Notes

Riders up Portal Creek in the northern Gallatin Range experienced cracking and collapsing and possibly triggered a small avalanche. They were riding at night. Photo: N. Donovan

Number of slides 1 Number caught 0 Number buried 0 Avalanche Type Soft slab avalanche Trigger Snowmobile R size 1 D size 1 Bed Surface O - Old snow Slab Thickness 30.0 centimeters Images Snowmobile triggered avalanche, Portal Creek Slab Thickness units centimeters Single / Multiple / Red Flag Single Avalanche Advisory Year 18-19