

Skier Triggered Avalanches in the Butte Area

Red Mountain

Out of Advisory Area

1/18/2024

Code

AS

Elevation

9200

Aspect

NE

Latitude

45.77170

Longitude

-112.48600

Notes

Skiers in the Highland Mountains near Butte triggered 2 avalanches on the NE ridge of Red Mountain. The first is a remotely triggered avalanche that was triggered from the ridgeline above. The second happened while a skier "[ski cut](#) the slope". This one was noted at 300' wide and 1' deep at the crown.

Number of slides

2

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Trigger

Skier

Slab Thickness

12.0 inches

Slab Width

300.00ft

Images

[Skier Triggered Avalanche in Highland Mountains 2](#)

[Skier Triggered Avalanche in Highland Mountains 1](#)

[Remotely Triggered Avalanche on Red Mountain](#)

Snow Observation Source

[Ski Cut Avalanche Highland Mountains. NE Facing Ridge.](#)

Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Multiple Avalanches

Advisory Year

[23-24](#)