Snow Pit Profile Near Beaver Creek S. Madison, MT Elevation (ft) 8938 Slope: 33 Aspect: 120 Specifics: Avalanche Pit: crown; Collapsing, localized.

Observer: Doug Chabot Sun Mar 06 12:30:00 MST 2011 Co-ord: 44.86755 N 111.40019 W Wind loading: previous

Stability on similar slopes: Fair Air Temperature: C Sky Cover: sky < 2/8 covered Precipitation: None Wind: Calm

HS195 Stability Test Notes: Layer note 65-67: Pro Fractured



Notes: Dug with E. Knoff to 105/195cm. This slide was remoptely triggered by a skier on the ridge from 20'away. The slide averafed 2-3 feet deep, but of chunks were 5' deep. It was 150 feet wide and ran down a narrow gully 1,300 feet. Tests did not break on weakest layer. Video at: http://www. m/watch?v=LpcmFhhLN_w; Photos at www.mtavalanche.com/photos

Advisory Region Southern Madison

Forecast link: GNFAC Avalanche Advisory for Tue Mar 8, 2011 Southern Madison, 2011-03-06