Remote Triggered Avalanche below Pilot Peak

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1/29/2024
Code
SS-AFu-R2-D2-O
Latitude
45.02020
Longitude
-109.93800
Notes

Information from IG Stories/ Messages: A group hiked into an ice climb below Pilot Peak on the Montana/ Wyoming border and remotely triggered an avalanche that failed 150 yards above them. They were on a lower-angle slope below and no one was caught or carried.

Number of slides
1
Number caught
0
Number buried
0
Avalanche Type
Soft slab avalanche
Trigger
Foot penetration
Trigger Modifier
u-An unintentional release
R size
2
D size
2
Bed Surface
O - Old snow
Problem Type
Persistent Weak Layer
Slab Thickness
12.0 inches
Slab Width
400.00ft
Images
Remote Triggered Avalanche below Pilot Peak - Trigger Point
Remote Triggered Avalanche below Pilot Peak 2
Remote Triggered Avalanche Below Pilot
Slab Thickness units
inches
Single / Multiple / Red Flag
Single Avalanche

Advisory Year
23-24