

## Snowmobiler triggered on Buck Ridge

Buck Ridge  
Northern Madison  
2/2/2023  
Code  
SS-AMu-R3-D2-I  
Elevation  
9300  
Aspect  
NE  
Latitude  
45.17190  
Longitude  
-111.38000  
Notes

From FB message: I triggered this one Thursday night (2/2/23). Got lucky it didn't gain speed and sack on itself. Been in this zone 1000 times, never seen it [slide](#), always gotta be on your game... NE [aspect](#) in Beaver Creek.

Number of slides  
1  
Number caught  
0  
Number buried  
0  
Avalanche Type  
Soft slab avalanche  
Trigger  
Snowmobile  
Trigger Modifier  
u-An unintentional release  
R size  
3  
D size  
2  
Bed Surface  
I - Interface between new and old snow  
Problem Type  
Persistent Weak Layer  
Slab Thickness  
18.0 inches  
Vertical Fall  
50ft  
Slab Width  
100.00ft  
Attached Videos  
[snowmobile triggering slide on Buck - 2 Feb 2023](#)  
Snow Observation Source

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Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

22-23