Small Loose Snow Avalanches in South Cottonwood Basin

Mt Blackmore Northern Gallatin 2/1/2025 Code SS-NC-R1-D1 Latitude 45.42980 Longitude -111.00000 Notes

Skied into South Cottonwood basin from Blackmore today. Skiing was sub-par with lots of wind scouring and intense active snow transport. Along with the slides observed yesterday, two recent R1-D1 slides were observed in South Cottonwood Basin: below the Dogleg and on N Twin's west wall via <u>cornice</u> break. No <u>surface hoar</u>, slides from today, or cracking/collapsing were observed.

Number of slides 2 Number caught 0 Number buried 0 Avalanche Type Soft slab avalanche Trigger Cornice fall R size 1 D size 1 Problem Type Wind-Drifted Snow Snow Observation Source Continued wind around Blackmore Slab Thickness units centimeters Single / Multiple / Red Flag Multiple Avalanches Advisory Year 24-25