## Kirkwood Ridge Accident

Accident Report

180307\_Kirkwood Ridge Avalanche Report.pdf
Activity
Snowmobiling
Date
3/7/2018
1 caught, not buried
Synopsis

Two snowmobilers accessed Kirkwood Ridge from the Red Canyon trail on Wednesday, March 7<sup>th</sup>. This area is north of Hebgen Lake, approximately 12 miles northwest of West Yellowstone. One rider ascended a steep gully in the middle of a face, and while descending triggered an avalanche on a slope above him. The <u>slide</u> was 2' deep, 100' wide and carried the rider approximately 100' and he deployed his airbag. He rode out of the debris before the slide <u>slide</u> ed. The slide <u>slide</u> assified AMu-SS-R2-D2-O.