Small Natural storm snow avalanches in Gallatin Canyon

Northern Madison 2/6/2020 Code SS-N-R2-D1.5-I Elevation 6000 Aspect Range N-E-S-W

On the drive to Buck Ridge there were widespread 4-6" deep natural s<u>slab</u>avalanches in the storm snow on steep slopes, road cuts and river cuts. Some broke "on the ground", where it was bare ground two days ago. This is some evidence of the upside down nature of this storm.

Number caught

0

Notes

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Natural trigger

R size

2

D size

1.5

Bed Surface

I - Interface between new and old snow

Problem Type

New Snow

Slab Thickness

5.0 inches

Vertical Fall

50ft

Slab Width

30.00ft

Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Multiple Avalanches

Advisory Year

19-20