On 12/31 we saw an avalanche that appeared very recent, and likely triggered by a snowmobiler. It was on a west facing slope at 10,000', and was a hard slab 1-4 feet deep and 100' wide, ran about 200' vertical. AMu-HS-R3-D2-O. This was a clear sign that weak layers exist, especially where the snowpack is relatively shallower, and recent snow has been drifted into thick slabs that are unstable over this weak snow. Photo: GNFAC

Advisory Region

Cooke City
Longitude
-109.93W
Latitude
45.07N
Avalanche Details: Snowmobiler triggered hard slab avalanche Sheep Mtn.
Forecast link: GNFAC Avalanche Forecast for Mon Jan 2, 2023
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