Skier triggered avalanche in Beehive

Beehive Peak Northern Madison 11/24/2022 Code WL-ASc-R2-D2-I Elevation 10300 Aspect S Latitude 45.35390 Longitude -111.40500 Notes

From Obs: "I wanted to share about a small avalanche I set off today. Snow was getting warm on my way up 4th of July <u>couloir</u> (pinwheels coming off lookers right wall started around 11:30) top half took a long time due to deep snow so I was suspicious of the pinch. <u>Ski cut</u> it during the descent (12:30p) and set off a wet <u>slide</u> (point release) that picked up quite a bit of steam as it came out the bottom. Big enough to injure/bury a skier."

Number of slides 1 Number caught 0 Number buried 0 Avalanche Type Wet loose-snow avalanche Trigger Skier **Trigger Modifier** c-A controlled or intentional release by the indicated trigger R size 2 D size 2 **Bed Surface** I - Interface between new and old snow Problem Type Wet Snow Vertical Fall 300ft Images Skier triggered avalanche in Beehive Snow Observation Source Skier triggered avalanche in Beehive Slab Thickness units

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