

# Natural wet avalanche at Dudley Creek

Dudley Creek  
Northern Madison  
3/24/2019  
Code  
WL-N-D2.5  
Aspect  
NE  
Latitude  
45.27830  
Longitude  
-111.26100  
Notes

Hikers reported a wet avalanche near the Dudley Creek trailhead. From the email:

"On Sunday March 31 we observed that several wet slides had occurred during the last week. The slides came almost down to the road beside the FS trailhead and into the backyards of two residences below the steep NE facing slopes. The trail was covered in debris above the uppermost house and their fence was torn up and carried into the yard. We spoke with one of the residents and were told that the slides occurred about a week ago and were the biggest they had experienced." Photo and obs: J. Cummins

Number of slides  
1  
Number caught  
0  
Number buried  
0  
Number killed  
0  
Avalanche Type  
Wet loose-snow avalanche  
Trigger  
Natural trigger  
D size  
2.5  
Problem Type  
Wet Snow  
Images  
[Wet avalanche debris- Dudley Creek 4](#)  
[Wet avalanche debris- Dudley Creek 3](#)  
[Wet avalanche debris- Dudley Creek 2](#)  
[Wet avalanche debris- Dudley Creek 1](#)  
Slab Thickness units  
centimeters  
Single / Multiple / Red Flag  
Single Avalanche  
Advisory Year

