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To: Jon Raby, Acting Montana/Dakotas State Director

Richard M Hotaling, Western Montana District Manager From:

Subject: 24-Hour Preliminary Report

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS PRELIMINARY AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Location: Kelly Creek near Pyramid Hill, West of Grant, Montana

Date of Occurrence: June 4, 2018

Time of Occurrence: Approximately 0940

Activity: Fuels Project Work

Number of Injuries: 1

Number of Fatalities: 0

Property Damage: (such as to vessels, equipment, and structures): None

Narrative: During a conifer encroachment thinning project, a log rolled down a steep incline and impacted a member of the crew working on the thinning. The crew member was transported from the scene to an ambulance and to a nearby hospital. The crew member is recovering from injuries.

A Facilitated Learning Analysis (FLA) Team is currently being assembled.

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