



## **Fatality Alert**

MINE FATALITY – On April 15, 2024, a miner died when the tail section of a collapsible belt conveyor fell and pinned him between the tail section and middle section. The miner was working as part of a crew to tear down the conveyor in preparation to be moved.



## **Best Practices**

- Block all equipment against hazardous motion before beginning work.
- Stay clear of suspended loads.
- Never enter or work in pinch points or Red Zones around equipment.
- Identify hazards associated with the task, review those hazards with all miners involved, and implement measures to protect miners.
- Train all miners in the safe performance of tasks.

This is the fourth fatality reported in 2024, and the third classified as "Powered Haulage."

The information provided in this notice is based on preliminary information only and does not represent final determinations regarding the nature of the accident or conclusions regarding the cause of the fatality.

Report accidents and hazardous conditions: 1-800-746-1553