

Safety Alert

Haul Truck Roll Over – Miner Rescued

On October 9, 2024, a 60-ton haul truck was dumping a load of material when the dump point sloughed off, causing the haul truck to slide down and over-turn, coming to rest upside down 15 feet below. The driver was rescued from the truck through the side window of the cab with minor injuries.



Best Practices

- **Conduct workplace examinations** before work begins and as ground conditions warrant during the work shift to identify hazardous conditions, especially after heavy rain, or other significant weather changes.
- **Dump material at a safe distance from the edge** and push the material over the edge with a bulldozer. Clearly mark dumping locations with reflectors and/or markers.
- **Do not remove material from the toe of stockpiles** when it would create instability at dumping locations.
- **Always wear a seatbelt** when operating mobile equipment: remain inside the cab; never attempt to jump clear.
- **Train miners on recognizing dump-point hazards**, taking appropriate corrective actions, and using safe dumping procedures.

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