

# Preliminary Report of Accident

U.S. Department of Labor  
Mine Safety and Health Administration



PR001 06/14/2021

<b>1. Accident Type</b> F - Fatal Injury		<b>2. Accident Classification</b> 12 - Powered Haulage		<b>3. Date/Time of Accident</b> 06/09/2021 2:13 PM		<b>4. Date/Time of Death</b> 06/09/2021 4:04 PM		<b>5. Fatal Case No</b> FAI-6855110-2				
<b>6. Mine Information</b>												
a) Mining Company Name:		Stillwater Mining Company										
b) Mine Name:		STILLWATER MINE										
c) Parent of Mining Company:		Sibanye Stillwater Limited										
<b>7. Mine Location Information</b>					<b>8. Mine ID Number</b>		<b>9. Union</b>					
a) City		b) County		c) State		24-01490		Yes				
Nye		Stillwater		MT								
<b>10. Primary Mineral Mined</b>				<b>11. Number of Employees</b>								
Platinum Group Ore Mining				a) Total		b) Underground		c) Open Pit/Quarry		d) Mill/Prep Plant		e) Other
				1062		1010		0		52		0
<b>12. Contractor Name</b>						<b>13. Contractor Union</b>		<b>14. Contractor ID Number</b>				
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<b>17. Number of Persons in Mine at Time of Accident</b>					<b>18. Number of Persons Unaccounted for</b>							
a) Mine Employees		b) Contractor Employees			a) Mine Employees		b) Contractor Employees					
281		46										
<b>19. Accident Location</b>								<b>20. Mining Height</b>				
01 - Underground								Feet    Inches				
<b>21. Nonfatal Injuries</b>		<b>22. Fatal Injuries</b>										
		2										
<b>23. Victims Information</b>												
Jerry W Ashlock												
a) First Name		a) MI	a) Last Name		b) Age		c) Regular Job Title		d) Activity at Time of Accident	Employee		
Jerry		W	Ashlock		55		Development General Foreman		Development General Foreman	Mine Employee		
<b>24. Mining Experience</b>												
a) Total Experience		b) Experience at the Mine			c) Experience at the Activity at the Time of the Accident			d) Experience with Contractor				
24 Years 0 Weeks 0 Days		0 Years 9 Weeks 2 Days			0 Years 9 Weeks 2 Days			0 Years 0 Weeks 0 Days				
<b>25. Autopsy Performed</b>		If Yes, Location										
<b>26. Mine Telephone No.</b>												
(406) 373-8700												
<b>27. Description of Accident (include equipment involved, the exact location in the mine, and status and recovery operations)</b>												
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Not listed    Brookville					TOT200D-FP							
<b>30. District</b>					<b>32. Field Office</b>			<b>33. Event Number</b>				
M6000 - Denver District					M6821 - Helena MT Field Office			6855110				
<b>34. Accident Investigator</b>												
First Name		MI	Last Name									
Thaddeus		J	Sichmeller									
<b>35. MSHA Person Notified</b>												
First Name		MI	Last Name			Date/Time Notified						
Herbert			Bacon			06/09/2021 2:39 PM						
<b>36. Type of Report</b>		<b>37. Name of Preparer</b>										
Initial		Full Name			Date Prepared							
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