

Preliminary Report of Accident

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



PR001 08/29/2025

1. Accident Type F - Fatal Injury	2. Accident Classification 12 - Powered Haulage	3. Date/Time of Accident 08/25/2025 7:15 AM	4. Date/Time of Death 08/25/2025 07:15 AM	5. Fatal Case No FAI-F00760C-1					
6. Mine Information a) Mining Company Name: Colt Rock and Lime, LLC b) Mine Name: Colt Rock and Lime, LLC - Scott City c) Parent of Mining Company: Brad Gipson et al									
7. Mine Location Information a) City SCOTT CITY		b) County Scott	c) State MO	8. Mine ID Number 23-02459	9. Union No				
10. Primary Mineral Mined Crushed & Broken Limestone Mining, N.E.C.		11. Number of Employees a) Total 8			b) Underground c) Open Pit/Quarry 8	d) Mill/Prep Plant e) Other			
12. Contractor Name			13. Contractor Union		14. Contractor ID Number				
15. Contractor Address a) City		b) County	c) State	d) Zip Code					
16. Number of Contractor Employees a) Total						b) Underground	c) Open Pit/Quarry	d) Mill/Prep Plant	e) Other
17. Number of Persons in Mine at Time of Accident a) Mine Employees 8			b) Contractor Employees			18. Number of Persons Unaccounted for a) Mine Employees			b) Contractor Employees
19. Accident Location 03 - Open Pit					20. Mining Height Feet Inches				
21. Nonfatal Injuries 0		22. Fatal Injuries 1							
23. Victims Information									
Ethan Amberger									
a) First Name Ethan	a) MI	a) Last Name Amberger	b) Age 26	c) Regular Job Title Haul Truck Operator	d) Activity at Time of Accident Operating Haul Truck	Employee Mine Employee			
24. Mining Experience a) Total Experience 6 Years 3 Weeks 0 Days		b) Experience at the Mine 0 Years 8 Weeks 0 Days		c) Experience at the Activity at the Time of the Accident 6 Years 3 Weeks 0 Days		d) Experience with Contractor 0 Years 0 Weeks 0			
25. Autopsy Performed No		If Yes, Location							
26. Mine Telephone No. (573) 275-3403									
27. Description of Accident (include equipment involved, the exact location in the mine, and status and recovery operations) A miner died after the haul truck he was driving went through a berm in the haul road, over a highwall, and overturned into water in the pit. The information provided in this notice is based on preliminary data ONLY and does not represent final determination regarding the nature of the incident or conclusions regarding the cause of the accident.									
28. Equipment Manufacturer Volvo			29. Model A40D						
30. District C0800 - Vincennes District			32. Field Office C0802 - Marion IL Field Office		33. Event Number F00760C				
34. Accident Investigator First Name Rexdon		MI L	Last Name Boliard						
35. MSHA Person Notified First Name David		MI	Last Name Stapp		Date/Time Notified 08/25/2025 8:39 AM				
36. Type of Report Initial		37. Name of Preparer Full Name Rexdon L Boliard		Date Prepared 08/26/2025					
38. Reason for Amendment									