

Fatality Alert

MINE FATALITY – On March 4, 2022, a 37 year-old bulldozer operator died when the bulldozer he was operating went over the edge of the highwall, landing upside down on the pit floor.



Best Practices

- **Dump loads a safe distance back from the edge of the highwall and push the material over.**
- **Maintain control** of mobile equipment while it is in operation.
- **Perform ground condition and workplace examinations.**
- **Train miners to safely perform tasks.**

This is the tenth fatality reported in 2022, and the third classified as “Machinery.”

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