

KULR-8 News, Sports, Weather - Billings, Montana[Local Coupons](#)

[Print this article](#)

Gillette man killed during culvert job in Wyoming

Originally printed at <http://www.kulr8.com/news/wyoming/59393422.html>

By The Associated Press
September 15, 2009

DOUGLAS, WYOMING - A 44-year-old man has died after a wall of dirt collapsed and buried him at a culvert work site in Converse County.

The Converse County Sheriff's Office identified the victim as David A. Larson, of Gillette. Sheriff Clint Becker says the accident occurred Monday morning on a railroad right of way along U.S. 59.

Becker says Larson worked for a company contracted by BNSF Railway to replace a culvert. He says while Larson was helping to remove the culvert from a large wall of dirt, the dirt wall collapsed on top of him. Other workers dug him out but attempts to revive Larson failed.