

# Flood Event of 8/6/1956 - 8/6/1956

## North Branch Potomac

Site	Flood Stage	Date	Crest	Flow	Category	Basin	Stream	County of Gage	County of Forecast Point
Kitzmilller	9.00	8/6/1956	9.02	8,310	Minor	North Branch Potomac	Potomac River	Garret	Garret
Luke	10.50	8/6/1956	11.48	15,800	Minor	North Branch Potomac	North Branch Potomac River	Mineral	Allegany

## Weather Summary

At this time, we think locally heavy downpours are responsible for the flood.

## Crest Statistics and Flood Information

First flood of 2 that occurred in Aug, 1956

Eighth flood of 10 that occurred in 1956

Number of Floods at MARFC Forecast Points - 2

Number of Floods Cresting in Minor Range - 2

Number of Floods Cresting in Moderate Range - 0

Number of Floods Cresting in Major Range - 0

Number of Floods Cresting in Missing Range - 0