

South Fork Gas Price Survey Released for September 7, 2017

11 of 28 stations surveyed in East Hampton and Southampton are below the Long Island average; Prices spike by 40 cents due to Harvey

New York State Assemblyman Fred W. Thiele, Jr. (I, D, WF-Sag Harbor) today released his gasoline price survey for September 7, 2017.

Of the stations surveyed in western Southampton, 5 of 10 were at or below the average for Long Island. In eastern Southampton, 6 of 10 stations were at or below the L.I. average. In East Hampton, 0 of 8 stations were at or below the L.I. average. Currently, crude oil prices are \$48 in world markets; up from \$46 in the last survey in July. However, disruptions of supply due to Hurricane Harvey in Texas have caused gasoline prices to spike nationwide. Local gas has spiked an average of 40 cents since the July survey.

Thiele stated, “The price of gasoline in eastern Southampton ranges between \$2.79 and \$2.89 per gallon. In Southampton west of the Canal, the range is between \$2.79 and \$3.29. The range in East Hampton is between \$2.89 and \$3.67. In Southold the range is between \$2.79 and \$2.83. In Riverhead, the range is between \$2.73 and \$2.75. The Long Island average is \$2.87, the New York City average is \$2.96, and the State average is \$2.83.”

Thiele called upon the State Senate to pass his legislation which would prohibit zone pricing. The legislation would enact the recommendations of the State Attorney General. The bill has been supported by local gasoline retailers and opposed by the major oil companies. The bill passed the State Assembly by a 130-15 margin on June 13, 2017, but continues to languish in the State Senate.

Thiele concluded. “There is no other conclusion to reach other than the fact that prices are fixed based on geography. For example, on the South Fork, gas prices are higher than the rest of the Island; unrelated to the actual cost. This is unfair and should be illegal.”

NEW YORK STATE GASOLINE PRICE COMPARISONS

LOCATION	September 7, 2017 AVERAGE PRICE ¹	July 11, 2017 AVERAGE PRICE ²	
New York State ³	\$2.83	\$2.41	+ 42 cents
Nassau-Suffolk ⁴	\$2.87	\$2.43	+ 44 cents
New York City ⁵	\$2.96	\$2.57	+ 39 cents

SOUTH FORK STATIONS PRICED BELOW AREA AVERAGE (28 STATIONS)

LOCATION	September 7, 2017
South Fork	-----
New York State	11
Nassau-Suffolk	11
New York City	17

SOUTH PRICES FORK PRICE PER GALLON REGULAR⁶

	Sept 7, 2017	July 11, 2017	Change
Eastport Gas	\$2.79	\$2.35	+44 cents
Gulf-Eastport	\$2.79	\$2.39	+40 cents
USA-Westhampton	\$3.09	\$2.99	+10 cents
Valero-Westhampton	\$3.29	\$3.29	-----
Speedway-Quogue	\$2.79	\$2.59	+20 cents
Coastal-East Quogue	\$2.79	\$2.35	+44 cents
Gulf- East Quogue	\$2.79	\$2.35	- 24 cents
Hess-Hampton Bays	\$2.99	\$2.89	+10 cents
Shell- Hampton Bays-W	\$3.19	\$2.89	+20 cents
Shell-Hampton Bays-E	\$2.89	\$2.53	+36 cents
Hampton Gas-Southampton	\$2.79	\$2.39	+40 cents
Shell-Southampton	\$2.79	\$2.27	+52 cents
⁷ Speedway-Southampton-	\$2.79	\$2.45	+34 cents
Sunoco-Southampton	\$2.79	\$2.49	+30 cents
BP-Southampton	\$2.89	\$2.59	+30 cents
⁸ Coastal-Southampton	\$2.79	\$2.39	+40 cents

¹ Per Gallon-Regular

² Per Gallon-Regular

³ AAA Daily Fuel Gauge Report

⁴ AAA Daily Fuel Gauge Report

⁵ AAA Daily Fuel Gauge Report

⁶ cash only except where noted

⁷ cash/credit price

⁸ cash/credit price

⁹ Mobil-Southampton	\$2.79	\$2.27	+52 cents
Shell-Water Mill	\$2.89	\$2.49	+40 cents
¹⁰ Speedway-Bridgehampton	\$2.89	\$2.59	+30 cents
Gulf-Bridgehampton	\$2.89	\$2.49	+40 cents
¹¹ Speedway-Wainscot	\$2.89	\$2.65	+24 cents
Exxon-East Hampton	\$3.18	\$2.83	+35 cents
Gulf-Amagansett	\$3.29	\$3.09	+20 cents
Mobil-Amagansett	\$3.59	\$3.19	+40 cents
Shell-Amagansett	\$3.54	\$3.19	+40 cents
Citgo-Montauk	\$3.67	\$3.09	+58 cents
Mobil-Montauk	\$3.69	\$3.14	+55 cents
Montauk Fuel	\$3.59	\$3.17	+42 cents

⁹ cash/credit price

¹⁰ cash/credit price

¹¹ cash credit price