

Thiele Releases Gas Price Survey for February 8, 2013

Prices increase since January, but South Fork prices increase at a slower rate; South Fork prices are 2 cents above the Long Island average

New York State Assemblyman Fred W. Thiele, Jr. (I, D, WF-Sag Harbor) today announced his most recent survey of gasoline prices. In Thiele's most recent gasoline survey for the South Fork taken on February 8, 2013, South Fork prices increased by 4 cents since January 2, 2013. Long Island and New York State prices both increased by 18 cents during the same period. South Fork prices are now 6 cents above the State average and 2 cents above the Long Island average.

The Automobile Association of America (AAA) provides for a regional survey on New York State gasoline prices. However, there is no survey solely for the South Fork. Thiele's survey also includes prices in western Southampton along Montauk Highway. There may be prices that are higher or lower in the region away from Montauk Highway, but the survey reflects the price posted at most stations on our region's main arterials.

Thiele stated, "The average price for East Hampton and Southampton along Montauk Highway excluding Amagansett and Montauk is now \$3.97. The average price for Amagansett is \$4.25 and the average price for Montauk is \$4.46. A gallon of gas on the North Fork is now about \$3.89. The Long Island average is \$3.95 and the State average is \$3.91."

Thiele announced that he has re-introduced his legislation to strengthen New York's law on zone pricing of gasoline as recommended by the State Attorney General. The Assembly overwhelmingly passed Thiele's bill in 2012, but the measure did not pass in the State Senate. Senator Ken LaValle will be the new sponsor in the State Senate for 2013, as the prior sponsor, James Alesi of Rochester, retired at the end of last Session.

NEW YORK STATE GASOLINE PRICE COMPARISONS

LOCATION	January 2, 2013 AVERAGE PRICEⁱ	February 7, 2013 AVERAGE PRICEⁱⁱ	
New York Stateⁱⁱⁱ	\$3.73	\$3.91	+ 18 cents
South Fork^{iv}	\$3.93	\$3.97	+ 4 cents
Nassau-Suffolk^v	\$3.77	\$3.95	+ 18 cents

New York City ^{vi}	\$3.84	\$3.98	+ 14 cents
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PRICE DIFFERENTIAL COMPARED TO SOUTH FORK

LOCATION	January 2, 2013	February 8, 2013
South Fork	-----	-----
New York State	-20 cents	-6 cents
Nassau-Suffolk	-16 cents	-2 cents
New York City	- 9 cents	+1 cent

**SOUTH PRICES FORK PRICE PER GALLON
REGULAR^{vii}**

	January 2	February 7	
Hampton Gas-Southampton	\$3.91	\$3.89	- 2 cents
Shell-Southampton	\$3.93	\$3.97	+4 cents
^{viii} Hess-Southampton-	\$3.93	\$3.97	+4 cents
Sunoco-Southampton	\$3.93	\$3.97	+4 cents
Gulf-Southampton	\$3.93	\$3.99	+6 cents
^{ix} Coastal-Southampton	\$3.81	\$3.93	+ 12 cents
^x Mobil-Southampton	\$3.89	\$3.99	+ 10 cents
Shell-Water Mill	\$3.89	\$3.99	+ 10 cents
^{xi} Hess-Bridgehampton	\$3.93	\$3.97	+ 4 cents
Gulf-Bridgehampton	\$3.93	\$3.97	+ 4 cents
^{xii} Hess-Wainscot	\$3.93	\$3.97	+ 4 cents
Getty-East Hampton	\$3.95	\$3.95	-----
Gulf-Amagansett	\$4.27	\$4.23	- 4 cents
Mobil-Amagansett	\$4.29	\$4.25	- 4 cents
Shell-Amagansett	\$4.29	\$4.29	-----
Empire-Montauk	\$4.35	\$4.41	+ 6 cents
Shell-Montauk	\$4.39	\$4.46	+ 7 cents
Montauk Fuel	\$4.49	\$4.74	+ 25 cents
Eastport Gas	\$3.65	\$3.83	+ 18 cents
Gulf-Eastport	\$3.75	\$3.89	+ 14 cents
USA-Westhampton	\$3.99	\$4.15	+ 16 cents
Valero-Westhampton	\$4.29	\$4.29	-----
Hess-Quogue	\$3.95	\$3.99	+ 4 cents
Spirit-East Quogue	\$3.86	\$3.86	-----
Empire- East Quogue	\$3.85	\$3.97	+ 12 cents
Hess-Hampton Bays	\$3.89	\$4.09	+ 20 cents
Shell- Hampton Bays-W	\$3.99	\$4.19	+ 20 cents
Shell-Hampton Bays-E	\$3.89	\$3.99	+ 10 cents

**THIELE GASOLINE PRICE SURVEY
COMPARATIVE GASOLINE PRICES**

DATE	SOUTH FORK	LONG ISLAND	NYS	SF/LI +/-
5-31-11	\$4.25	\$4.08	\$4.02	+17 cents
7-13-11	\$3.99	\$3.96	\$3.89	+3 cents
7-25-11	\$3.99	\$4.04	\$3.95	-5 cents
8-7-11	\$3.99	\$4.04	\$3.95	- 5 cents
8-20-11	\$3.91	\$3.95	\$3.87	-4 cents
9-12-11	\$3.91	\$3.97	\$3.89	-6 cents
9-29-11	\$3.85	\$3.81	\$3.76	+4 cents
10-10-11	\$3.81	\$3.73	\$3.70	+8 cents
11-2-11	\$3.79	\$3.72	\$3.70	+7 cents
11-29-11	\$3.79	\$3.61	\$3.61	+18 cents
12-12-11	\$3.71	\$3.57	\$3.55	+ 14 cents
2-2-12	\$3.75	\$3.80	\$3.77	-5 cents
3-2-12	\$3.97	\$4.01	\$3.97	- 4 cents
4-6-12	\$4.13	\$4.16	\$4.14	-3 cents
4-28-12	\$4.15	\$4.10	\$4.10	+5 cents
6-1-12	\$3.99	\$3.87	\$3.87	+12 cents
6-27-12	\$3.95	\$3.64	\$3.64	+31 cents
7-21-12	\$3.95	\$3.86	\$3.76	+ 9 cents
8-14-12	\$3.99	\$3.99	\$3.91	-----
9-4-12	\$4.05	\$4.05	\$4.00	-----
9-28-12	\$4.07	\$4.08	\$4.07	- 1 cent
11-28-12	\$4.05	\$3.95	\$3.89	+ 10 cents
1-2-13	\$3.93	\$3.77	\$3.73	+ 16 cents
2-7-13	\$3.97	\$3.95	\$3.91	+ 2 cents

ⁱ Per Gallon-Regular

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ⁱⁱⁱ AAA Daily Fuel Gauge Report

^{iv} Survey of Prevailing Gas Prices- Montauk Highway- East Hampton to Southampton

^v AAA Daily Fuel Gauge Report

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^{vii} cash only except where noted

^{viii} cash/credit price

^{ix} cash/credit price

^x cash/credit price

^{xi} cash/credit price

^{xii} cash credit price