

## Obama Gas Prices Continue Surge

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Refining reductions due to slumping demand along with global political and economic tensions have been blamed for rising gasoline prices in Texas and nationwide.

According to the Houston Chronicle, "the weekly AAA Texas price survey released Thursday shows the average price of a gallon of unleaded regular gasoline climbed 6 cents over the past week in Texas to \$3.45. The national average price is \$3.52, 3 cents more than last week."

The most expensive gas in the Lone Star state can be found in Dallas and Fort Worth and costs \$3.49 per gallon, 8 cents more than last week in Dallas and 9 cents more in fort worth. Amarillo enjoys the least expensive gas, where the average price fell a dime to \$3.28 per gallon.

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