

Cost of Energy in Northwest Alaska

The following table shows prices residents are paying for energy, including gasoline, stove oil and propane to heat their homes, and for diesel-generated electricity, as of February, 2012:

Village	Gasoline/gallon	Stove Oil/gallon	Propane/23 gallon	Electric/Kwh
Kotzebue	\$7.35	\$7.50	\$186.79	\$.4144
Ambler	\$8.95	\$9.50	\$285	\$.6805
Kobuk	\$10.46	\$9.30	\$270	\$.87
Shungnak	\$9.59	\$9.59	\$330	\$.9235
Kiana	\$7.50	\$7.00	\$270	\$.6835
Noorvik	\$8.07	\$7.31	\$278	\$.6489
Selawik	\$7.00	\$6.80	\$264.55	\$.6567
Buckland	\$6.25	\$7.00	\$271	\$.4741
Deering	\$6.30	\$6.25	\$285	\$.7047
Kivalina	\$6.72	\$6.55	\$285	\$.6785
Noatak	\$8.99	\$8.99	\$311	\$.7826

The average cost of one gallon of gas in our region is **\$7.92**. The village of Kobuk has the highest price at **\$10.46 per gallon**. Buckland enjoys the least costly rate at **\$6.25 per gallon**.