

HUDSON VALLEY PATTERN *for* PROGRESS

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Last week Pulse suggested that everyone pay careful attention to inflation as it is beginning to be noticeable in consumer prices. And we highlighted the jump in gas prices as one example.

This week we show you the jump in the Consumer Price Index in the chart below which reflects the highest percent change in CPI since 2008.

The other chart breaks down the CPI by a few select categories. Yes, food, both in and out of the home, has increased, but if you are in the market for a used car or truck...hold onto your hat!

Pulse still says... more to come!

