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## WESTERN TO HOST DEBATE ON GAS PRICES

**St. Joseph, Mo.** —Oct. 19, 2005—Missouri Western State University

will hold a debate and panel discussion about hurricane Katrina and gas prices at 7 p.m.

Nov. 3 in the Nelle Blum Union first floor lounge. The discussion will cover government regulation on the free market. Questions from the audience are encouraged. The event is free and open to the community.

This event is sponsored by Economics Club, Political Science Club, and Omicron Delta Epsilon.

For more information, contact Christina Hammond at 816-383-6862.

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