# FOX NEWS POLL

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# **NEW JERSEY**

The Fox News Poll is conducted under the joint direction of Anderson Robbins Research (D) and Shaw & Company Research (R). The poll was conducted by telephone with live interviewers September 17-19, 2017 among a random sample of 804 New Jersey registered voters (RV).

Results based on the full sample have a margin of sampling error of plus or minus 3.5 percentage points.

Landline (429) and cellphone (375) telephone numbers were randomly selected from a statewide voter file of registered New Jersey voters using a probability proportionate to size method. This simply means phone numbers are proportionally representative to the number of voters in all regions across the state of New Jersey. Fieldwork conducted by Braun Research, Inc. of Princeton, NJ.

#### Results are of registered voters, unless otherwise noted.

An asterisk (\*) is used for percentages of less than one-half percent.

A dash (-) represents a value of zero.

Some percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding. In the same way, percentages in "total" columns may be one point more or less than the sum of their component parts due to rounding.

1. How interested are you in the 2017 governor's race? Are you:

	<b>Extremely</b>	<u>Very</u>	Somewhat	Not at all	(Don't know)
17-19 Sep 17	25%	33	33	8	1

2. If the election for governor were held today, how would you vote if the candidates were: **[IF DON'T KNOW:** Well, which way do you lean?] **[ROTATE NAMES]** 

	Democrat							
	Phil	Kim	Gina	Seth	Peter		(Wouldn'	t (Don't
	<u>Murphy</u>	<u>Guadagno</u>	<u>Genovese</u>	Kaper-Dale	Rohrman	(Other)	vote)	know)
17-19 Sep 17	42%	29	4	2	1	2	2	19

	17-19 Sep 17
Democrat Phil Murphy	39%
(Lean Murphy)	3
Republican Kim Guadagno	27
(Lean Guadagno)	2
Independent Gina Genovese	3
(Lean Genovese)	1
Green Party Seth Kaper-Dale	1
(Lean Kaper-Dale)	*
Libertarian Peter Rohrman	1
(Lean Rohrman)	*
(Other)	2
(Wouldn't vote)	2
(Don't know)	19

# [SKIP IF (OTHER), (WOULDN'T VOTE), OR (DON'T KNOW) IN Q2. SKIP AND CODE AS "MAY CHANGE MIND" IF LEAN IN Q2]

3. Are you certain to support that candidate, or do you think you may change your mind and support someone else? [IF DON'T KNOW: Re-read question and probe for answer]

	Certain to support	May change mind	(Don't know)
17-19 Sep 17	56%	41	3
Q2 Murphy supporters	64%	34	2
Q2 Guadagno supporters	51%	45	4

4. How satisfied are you with the way things are going in New Jersey -- are you very satisfied, somewhat satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied?

		-Satisfied		1	(Don't		
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<u>Very</u>	Somewhat	<b>TOTAL</b>	Not very	Not at all	know)
17-19 Sep 17	37%	3	34	62	34	28	1

5. Which one of the following do you think is the most important issue facing New Jersey today? [IF DON'T KNOW OR ALL OR OTHER, ASK: Well, if you had to pick ...] [RANDOMIZE LIST]

	17-19 Sep 17
Taxes	34%
The economy and jobs	13
Drugs and drug addiction	9
Education	8
Health care	8
Transportation	3
Immigration	2
Terrorism	1
Race relations	1
(All/Mix)	19
(Other)	2
(Don't know)	1

## Moving on ...

Do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as president? **[IF APPROVE / DISAPPROVE:** Is that strongly (approve/disapprove), or only somewhat?]

		Approve-			(Don't		
	<b>TOTAL</b>	Strongly	Somewhat	<b>TOTAL</b>	Somewhat	Strongly	know)
17-19 Sep 17	40%	23	17	54	11	43	6

7. Is one reason for your vote for governor to express support for Donald Trump, express opposition to Trump, or is Trump not a factor in your vote?

	To express	To express	Trump is	(Don't
	<u>support</u>	<u>opposition</u>	not a factor	know)
17-19 Sep 17	8%	15	74	3
Q2 Murphy supporters	3%	28	67	1
Q2 Guadagno supporters	16%	2	81	1

### POLITICAL IDENTIFICATION

When you think about politics, do you think of yourself as a Democrat or a Republican?

			(Independent /	(Don't know /
	<b>Democrat</b>	<b>Republican</b>	Other)	Refused)
17-19 Sep 17	46%	32	22	*

# Fox News Poll -- Margin of Error for Subgroups

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Results among the attached subgroups have larger sampling errors:

NJ Registered Voters	+/- 3.5%
Men:	+/- 5%
Women:	+/- 4.5%
White:	+/- 4%
Non-White:	+/- 6%
Under Age 45:	+/- 5.5%
Age 45+:	+/- 4%
Income Under \$50k:	+/- 7%
Income \$50k+:	+/- 4.5%
<b>Democrats:</b>	+/- 5%
Republicans:	+/- 6%
<b>Independents:</b>	+/- 7%
Liberal:	+/- 6%
<b>Moderate:</b>	+/- 6.5%
<b>Conservative:</b>	+/- 5.5%
Union:	+/- 8.5%
White College Degree:	+/- 5.5%
White No Degree:	+/- 6.5%
<b>Trump Voters:</b>	+/- 6%
<b>Clinton Voters:</b>	+/- 5%

#### 1. How interested are you in the 2017 governor's race? Are you:

					Non-	Under		Under	
	Total	Men	Women	White	White	Age 45	45+	\$50k	\$50k+
Extremely interested	25%	25%	25%	27%	22%	16%	28%	21%	27%
Very interested	33%	33%	32%	34%	29%	32%	33%	28%	35%
Somewhat interested	33%	34%	33%	31%	37%	39%	31%	37%	31%
Not at all interested	8%	<b>7</b> %	9%	6%	12%	12%	6%	11%	6%
(Don't know)	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%

									White	White		
									College	No	Trump	Clinton
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Union	Degree	Degree	Voters	Voters
Extremely interested	25%	25%	25%	25%	30%	23%	22%	31%	29%	23%	24%	27%
Very interested	33%	36%	31%	29%	33%	31%	33%	28%	38%	30%	30%	37%
Somewhat interested	33%	30%	38%	33%	30%	35%	35%	31%	28%	36%	37%	28%
Not at all interested	8%	8%	5%	12%	7%	<b>9</b> %	8%	9%	4%	10%	<b>6</b> %	8%
(Don't know)	1%	1%	2%	2%	★ ક	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%

#### 2. If the election for governor were held today, how would you vote if the candidates were:

					Non-	Under		Under	
	Total	Men	Women	White	White	Age 45	45+	\$50k	\$50k+
Democrat Phil Murphy	42%	43%	41%	38%	54%	46%	40%	44%	44%
Republican Kim Guadagno	29%	29%	29%	36%	11%	20%	33%	22%	33%
Independent Gina	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%	5%	3%	5%	<b>3</b> %
Genovese									
Green Party Seth Kaper-	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Dale									
Libertarian Peter	1%	2%	<b>★</b> %	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
Rohrman									
(Other)	2%	2%	1%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%
(Wouldn't vote)	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%
(Don't know)	19%	16%	21%	17%	22%	23%	18%	23%	14%

									White	White		
									College	No	Trump	Clinton
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Union	Degree	Degree	Voters	Voters
Democrat Phil Murphy	42%	74%	7%	25%	70%	40%	21%	53%	44%	31%	10%	70%
Republican Kim Guadagno	29%	3%	68%	25%	<b>7</b> %	20%	51%	17%	34%	39%	67%	5%
Independent Gina	4%	4%	3%	6%	4%	4%	3%	3%	2%	5%	2%	4%
Genovese												
Green Party Seth Kaper-	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Dale												
Libertarian Peter	1%	<b>★</b> 용	2%	2%	<b>★</b> 용	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Rohrman												
(Other)	2%	1%	1%	3%	-	2%	3%	1%	1%	_	1%	1%
(Wouldn't vote)	2%	1%	2%	4%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%
(Don't know)	19%	16%	14%	33%	14%	29%	17%	21%	14%	22%	15%	16%

2. If the election for governor were held today, how would you vote if the candidates were: [IF DON'T KNOW: Well, which way do you lean?]

					Non	- τ	Inder	τ	Inder				
	Total	Men	Women	White	Whit	e Ac	je 45	45+	\$50k \$	50k	+		
Democrat Phil Murphy	39%	40%	39%	36%	50	용 -	43%	38%	40%	42	&		
(Lean Murphy)	3%	3%	2%	2%	3	&	2%	3%	4%	2	ક		
Republican Kim Guadagno	27%	26%	27%	33%	10	&	19%	29%	19%	31	ક		
(Lean Guadagno)	2%	3%	2%	3%	1	용	1%	3%	3%	2	%		
Independent Gina	3%	3%	3%	3%	3	용	4%	3%	4%	3	%		
Genovese													
(Lean Genovese)	1%	<b>★</b> 용	1%	1%	1	용	1%	1%	1%	*	&		
Green Party Seth Kaper-	1%	2%	1%	1%	2	용	2%	1%	1%	1	&		
Dale													
(Lean Kaper-Dale)	★ ક	★ ફ	★ ફ	★ ક		-	-	<b>★</b> 용	1%	*	&		
Libertarian Peter	1%	2%	<b>★</b> 용	1%	1	용	1%	1%	1%	2	&		
Rohrman													
(Lean Rohrman)	★ ક	★ ફ	-	_		-	-	<b>★</b> 용	_	*	&		
(Other)	2%	2%	1%	1%	3	8	1%	2%	1%	2	&		
(Wouldn't vote)	2%	1%	2%	1%	2	8	2%	1%	2%	1	&		
(Don't know)	19%	16%	21%	17%	22	8	23%	18%	23%	14	&		
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									Collec		No	Trump	Clinton
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Union	Degre		Degree	Voters	Voters
Democrat Phil Murphy	39%	70%	7%	22%	67%	38%	18%	51%	42		28%	9%	67%
(Lean Murphy)	3%	4%	1%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%		일용	3%	1%	4%
Republican Kim Guadagno	27%	2%	64%	23%	5%	18%	48%	16%	31	. %	37%	63%	3%
(Lean Guadagno)	2%	1%	5%	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%		3%	3%	4%	1%
Independent Gina	3%	3%	2%	4%	4%	3%	2%	3%	2	<b>2</b> 용	4%	1%	4%
Genovese													
(Lean Genovese)	1%	<b>★</b> 용	1%	1%	<b>★</b> 용	1%	1%	_	,	r 응	1%	1%	1%
Green Party Seth Kaper-	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1	ક	1%	1%	1%
Dale													
(Lean Kaper-Dale)	<b>★</b> %	<b>★</b> 용	1%	-	-	1%	★%	-	+	r 용	<b>★</b> %	1%	<b>*</b> %

3. Are you certain to support that candidate, or do you think you may change your mind and support someone else?

**2**%

2%

29%

**3**%

2%

17%

★ %

1%

14%

**2**%

1%

1%

21%

**2**%

1%

2%

14%

1%

1%

22%

**2**%

1%

1%

15%

1%

1%

**2**%

16%

					Non-	Under		Under	
	Total	Men	Women	White	White	Age 45	45+	\$50k	\$50k+
Certain to support	56%	54%	57%	56%	58%	50%	58%	58%	57%
May change mind	41%	43%	38%	40%	41%	48%	38%	38%	40%
(Don't know)	<b>3</b> %	2%	5%	4%	2%	3%	4%	4%	3%

**2**%

1%

**2**%

14%

**2**%

3%

**4**%

33%

1%

2%

**2**%

19%

**1**%

1%

16%

Libertarian Peter

(Wouldn't vote)

(Don't know)

Rohrman (Lean Rohrman) (Other)

	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Union	White College Degree	White No Degree	Trump Voters	Clinton Voters
Certain to support	56%	64%	49%	N/A	63%	55%	50%	N/A	57%	54%	50%	62%
May change mind	41%	33%	49%	N/A	34%	41%	46%	N/A	40%	40%	46%	36%
(Don't know)	3%	3%	2%	N/A	2%	<b>4</b> %	4%	N/A	3%	6%	5%	2%

4. How satisfied are you with the way things are going in New Jersey -- are you very satisfied, somewhat satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied?

					Non-		nder		Under			
	Total	Men	Women	White	White	Ago	e 45	45+	\$50k	\$50	k+	
Very satisfied	3%	<b>4</b> %	3%	3%	4%		3%	<b>3</b> %	3%		<b>4</b> %	
Somewhat satisfied	34%	32%	35%	34%	34%		37%	33%	35%	3	1%	
Not very satisfied	34%	34%	34%	33%	36%		35%	34%	29%	3	<b>6</b> %	
Not at all satisfied	28%	30%	27%	29%	26%		25%	30%	33%	2	<b>8</b> %	
(Don't know)	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%		1%	1%	<b>★</b> 용		1%	
NET: SATISFIED	37%	36%	38%	37%	38%		39%	36%	38%	3	5%	
NET: NOT SATISFIED	62%	63%	62%	62%	62%		60%	64%	62%	6	5%	
									Wh	ite	White	
									Coll	.ege	No	Trump
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib 1	Mod	Cons	Union	Deg	ree	Degree	Voters
Very satisfied	3%	2%	5%	4%	1%	3%	5%	<b>*</b> 9		3%	3%	5%

									College	No	Trump	Clinton
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Union	Degree	Degree	Voters	Voters
Very satisfied	3%	2%	5%	4%	1%	3%	5%	★ ફ	3%	3%	5%	2%
Somewhat satisfied	34%	27%	40%	38%	28%	37%	37%	29%	35%	32%	41%	26%
Not very satisfied	34%	39%	28%	31%	39%	33%	31%	36%	30%	38%	27%	39%
Not at all satisfied	28%	31%	26%	26%	31%	27%	27%	34%	30%	27%	26%	32%
(Don't know)	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	<b>★</b> 용	1%
NET: SATISFIED	37%	29%	45%	42%	29%	39%	41%	29%	38%	35%	47%	28%
NET: NOT SATISFIED	62%	70%	55%	57%	70%	60%	58%	70%	60%	65%	53%	71%

5. Which one of the following do you think is the most important issue facing New jersey today?

					Non-	Under		Under	
	Total	Men	Women	White	White	Age 45	45+	\$50k	\$50k+
The economy and jobs	13%	13%	13%	12%	15%	<b>9</b> %	14%	16%	13%
Health care	8%	4%	11%	8%	8%	<b>7</b> %	88	8%	<b>7</b> %
Terrorism	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Immigration	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	<b>★</b> 용	3%	3%	1%
Drugs and drug addiction	9%	8%	9%	8%	8%	11%	88	14%	<b>7</b> %
Race relations	1%	1%	1%	1%	<b>★</b> 용	1%	1%	1%	1%
Transportation	3%	5%	2%	3%	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%
Taxes	34%	37%	31%	38%	25%	27%	36%	21%	39%
Education	8%	88	8%	8%	10%	14%	6%	6%	<b>9</b> %
(All/Mix)	19%	19%	20%	16%	26%	21%	18%	22%	18%
(Other)	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%
(Don't know)	1%	1%	<b>★</b> 号	<b>★</b> 号	<b>★</b> 용	1%	<b>★</b> %	1%	<b>★</b> 号

									White College	White No	Trump	Clinton	
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Union	Degree	Degree	Voters	Voters	
The economy and jobs	13%	14%	13%	10%	11%	14%	14%	14%	13%	11%	13%	15%	
Health care	8%	11%	4%	<b>6</b> %	11%	88	6%	8%	7%	<b>9</b> %	5%	10%	
Terrorism	1%	<b>★</b> 용	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	-	<b>*</b> %	2%	1%	1%	
Immigration	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	
Drugs and drug addiction	9%	8%	10%	8%	10%	7%	8%	6%	<b>7</b> %	10%	<b>7</b> %	8%	
Race relations	1%	2%	<b>★</b> 용	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	
Transportation	3%	5%	2%	3%	6%	1%	3%	1%	5%	1%	2%	5%	
Taxes	34%	27%	46%	28%	27%	29%	42%	37%	37%	39%	43%	28%	
Education	8%	10%	3%	13%	11%	9%	6%	13%	11%	3%	4%	10%	
(All/Mix)	19%	21%	15%	21%	19%	24%	17%	18%	15%	18%	18%	20%	
(Other)	2%	1%	1%	4%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	
(Don't know)	1%	<b>★</b> 용	1%	1%	_	2%	<b>★</b> 용	_	<b>★</b> 용	1%	1%	<b>*</b> %	

6. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as president?

Approve Disapprove (Don't know)	Total 40% 54% 6%	Men 43% 52% 5%	Women 38% 56% 6%	White 47% 49% 4%	Non- White 239 699 99	a Ag	Jnder ge 45 32% 61% 7%	45+ 44% 51% 5%	Jnder \$50k 35% 57% 8%	5	k+ 2% 4% 4%		
									Wh:	ite ege	White No	Trump	Clinton
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Union	Deg:	ree	Degree	Voters	Voters
Approve	40%	11%	80%	44%	11%	36%	66%	40%		39%	57%	90%	6%
Disapprove	54%	85%	18%	42%	86%	52%	31%	54%		57%	38%	6%	90%
(Don't know)	6%	5%	2%	14%	3%	13%	3%	6%		3%	4%	4%	3%

6. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as president? [IF APPROVE / DISAPPROVE: Is that strongly (approve/disapprove), or only somewhat?]

Strongly approve Somewhat approve Somewhat disapprove Strongly disapprove (Don't know)	Total 23% 17% 11% 43% 6%	Men 23% 20% 13% 39% 5%	Women 24% 14% 10% 47% 6%	White 28% 19% 10% 39% 4%	Non- White 13% 10% 54% 9%	Under Age 4! 189 149 159 459 79	45+ 26% 18% 9% 42%	Under \$50k 23% 11% 11% 47% 8%	1 1 4	k+ 4% 9% 1% 3% 4%		
Strongly approve Somewhat approve Somewhat disapprove Strongly disapprove (Don't know)	Total 23% 17% 11% 43%	Dem 48 78 128 728 58	Rep 51% 29% 7% 11% 2%	Ind 24% 20% 14% 28%	6% 2 5% 1 13% 1 73% 4	14% 2°	ns Unio 3% 24 7% 16 0% 16 .% 38	Coll n Deg % %	_	White No Degree 40% 17% 7% 31% 4%	Trump Voters 59% 31% 4% 2% 4%	Clinton Voters 1% 5% 14% 76% 3%

7. Is one reason for your vote for governor to express support for Donald Trump, express opposition to Trump, or is Trump not a factor in your vote?

Non- Under

Under

	Total	Men	Women	White	White	Age	45	45+	\$50k	\$50	k+		
To express support for	8%	8%	8%	<b>9</b> %	6%		<b>4</b> %	10%	<b>7</b> %		<b>9</b> %		
Donald Trump													
To express opposition to	15%	11%	19%	13%	20%	1	<b>4</b> %	16%	19%	1	<b>4</b> %		
Trump													
Trump is not a factor	74%	79%	69%	75%	69%	7	88	72%	69%	7	<b>6</b> %		
(Don't know)	3%	2%	4%	2%	4%		<b>4</b> %	3%	5%		1%		
										_			
									Whi		White		
									Colle	ege	No	$\mathtt{Trump}$	Clinton
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib N	1od C	ons	Union	Degr	ee	Degree	Voters	Voters
To express support for	8%	1%	18%	<b>7</b> %	1%	6%	15%	13%		<b>7</b> %	12%	19%	1%
Donald Trump													
To express opposition to	15%	27%	3%	<b>7</b> %	28% 1	<b>.6</b> %	<b>4</b> %	18%	1	.5%	11%	1%	28%

69%

**2**%

71%

7%

**79**%

2%

69%

1%

**77**%

**2**%

74%

3%

**78**%

2%

69%

2%

Trump

(Don't know)

Trump is not a factor

74%

3%

68%

3%

77%

**2**%

80%

5%