

# Stockton Poll: Murphy Maintains Lead Over Ciattarelli **in N.J. Governor's Race**

Slim majority against college sports betting

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Galloway, N.J. - Incumbent Democratic Gov. Phil Murphy leads Republican challenger

Ciattarelli leads among white voters and men while Murphy is supported at higher rates by those with a four-year degree or more, Hispanic voters, women, and, overwhelmingly, by Black voters, said research associate Alyssa Maurice.

Other findings:

- x More than half (60%) of N.J. voters did not watch or listen to either Murphy-Ciattarelli governor debate, while 39% did.
- x Nearly all voters (95%) skipped the Lieutenant governor debate with only 3% tuning in.

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Voters oppose college sports gambling in N.J.

