

79% of New Jerseyans Say Property Taxes Are Up

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Galloway, NJ – According to a poll conducted by the Stockton Polling Institute, 79% of New Jerseyans say property taxes are up. The poll was conducted from June 10-15, 2013. The margin of error is +/- 3.5 percentage points. For more information, contact Daniel J. Douglas at (609) 204-1314 or ddouglas@stockton.edu.

With control of the state Senate and the General Assembly at stake this November, those surveyed were closely split at about 36 percent for the Democratic legislative candidates and 35 percent for the Republicans; 7 percent say they would split their vote in the generic legislative matchup; and, 19 percent were not sure or would support another candidate.

Only 30 percent have a favorable opinion of the New Jersey Legislature's job performance, while 62 percent have an unfavorable opinion.

"State legislators can take some solace from the fact that their overall job performance rating, while quite low