

New Jersey gubernatorial election 2017

Seat previously held by



Chris Christie (R)
Elected 2009

2017 candidates

Democrats:

- Phil Murphy, *Former US ambassador*
- John Wisniewski, *Assemblyman*
- Jim Johnson, *Former undersecretary of the US Treasury*
- Ray Lesniak, *State senator*

Republicans:

- Kim Guadagno, *Lieutenant governor*
- Jack Ciattarelli, *Assemblyman*

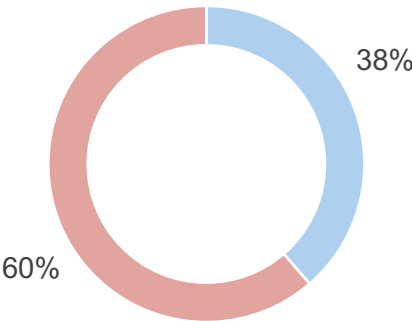
Election dates



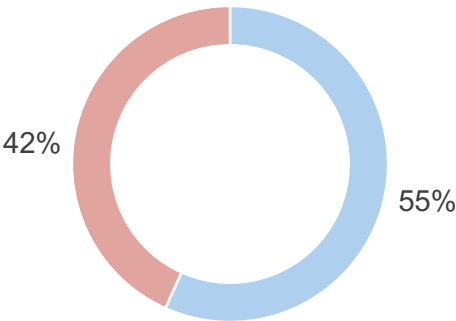
Primary: 6/6/17
General Election: 11/7/17

District overview

'13 governor race results



'16 Presidential race results



Other notes

- Christie's very low approval rating and the widespread opposition to Trump in the state could give New Jersey Democrats an edge in taking back the governor's mansion this year

■ GOP percent of vote

■ Democrat percent of vote

Sources: Ballotpedia, 2017; National Journal research.