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N.J. Voters Love Gov. Christie

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As disclosed by a new poll on Tuesday, New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie's favorability rating has surged to an all-time high.

According to Politico, "for the first time since Christie took office in 2010, 50 percent of registered New Jersey voters have a favorable view of the Republican governor, a 4-point increase since late March, a Rutgers-Eagleton poll found. About four in 10 voters in the Garden State, 39 percent, have a negative view of their governor, while 11 percent say they don't have an opinion." Christie's rise in the polls comes mainly from male voters, the new survey revealed. 49 percent of men and 43 percent of women hold positive views of the governor in March. Christie enjoyed a 7-point favorability hike among the men, 56 percent of whom gave him the thumbs-up. Additionally, Christie's approval rating jumped up 2 points among the women since March.

As reported by Politico, "Christie's favorability rating has also fared well among the independent voters in the state. Since March, the governor has seen a 12-point increase in favorability, from 43 to 55 percent. Meanwhile, his support among Republicans saw a slight decline, from 85 percent a few months ago to 79 percent."

The Rutgers-Eagleton poll had been conducted on May 31 to June 4 among 1,065 registered voters with a margin of error of plus or minus 2.9 percentage points.

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