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The Upshot

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The New York Times Upshot / Siena College Pennsylvania 07 Poll: Democrat Wild 50% Republican Nothstein 42%

Voters Prefer Democrats Control House 53-42%; Give President Trump Large Negative 42-53% Job Approval Rating

Favorability Ratings: Nothstein, 30-22 Percent; Wild, 34-19 Percent

Loudonville, NY. Democratic lawyer Susan Wild holds an 8-point lead over Republican, former Olympic athlete, Marty Nothstein, 50-42 percent, according to a new New York Times Upshot/Siena College poll of likely Pennsylvania 7th Congressional District voters. Nothstein has a 30-22 percent favorability rating, compared to a 34-19 percent favorability rating for Wild.

If election was today, who would you vote for?			
	Marty Nothstein	Susan Wild	DK/ Other
PA 07			
Likely Voters	42%	50%	8%
Democrats	7%	89%	4%
Republicans	87%	5%	9%
Independents	35%	52%	13%
Men	46%	46%	9%
Women	38%	54%	8%
Allentown/Bethlehem	25%	60%	15%
Lehigh	45%	49%	7%
Monroe/Northampton	46%	47%	6%
The New York Times Upshot/Siena College Poll – 10/1/18			

Likely voters in this eastern Pennsylvania district prefer Democrats rather than Republicans control the House of Representatives next year, 53-42 percent. Voters give President Trump a large 11-point negative job approval rating with 42 percent approving the job he is doing and 53 percent disapproving but by 47-44 percent they support Brett Kavanaugh's nomination to the United States Supreme Court.

This New York Times Upshot/Siena College Poll is part of an ongoing project polling pivotal Congressional races across the country. The data is published live on https://www.nytimes.com/section/upshot. This press release highlights the key findings and provides access in the cross-tabulations to the entire survey as well as how demographic groups answered each question.

This New York Times Upshot/Siena College PA 07 survey was conducted September 21-25, 2018 by telephone calls in English and to 539 PA 07 voters. This poll has a margin of error of \pm 4.7 percentage points. Calls were made to a stratified weighted sample of voters from the L-2 Voter list via both land and cell phones. A likely-to-vote probability was computed for each respondent based on their stated likelihood to vote as well as by virtue of the imputation of a turnout probability score based on past voting behavior. This combined probability to vote score was applied as a weight along with a weight that considered party, age, race/ethnicity, education, region within the district and gender. Polling support for this project provided by Institute for Policy and Opinion Research at Roanoke College, Reconnaissance Market Research, M. Davis & Company, The Public Opinion Research Lab at the University of North Florida and The Survey Research Center at the University of Waterloo. The Siena College Research Institute, directed by Donald Levy, Ph.D., conducts political, economic, social and cultural research primarily in NYS. SCRI, an independent, non-partisan research institute, subscribes to the American Association of Public Opinion Research Code of Professional Ethics and Practices. For more information, please call Steven Greenberg at 518-469-9858 or Don Levy at 518-783-2901. Survey cross-tabulations and frequencies can be found at: www.Siena.edu/SCRI/SNY.