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## Stockton College Poll Shows Adler–Runyan Race Too Close to Call

Runyan Moves Up 10 points in 3<sup>rd</sup> Congressional District

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**Galloway Township, NJ-** The Richard Stockton College/Zogby poll of likely 3<sup>rd</sup> Congressional District voters shows the John Adler-John Runyan race too close to call since the results are within the margin of error.

Incumbent Democrat John Adler drops 38% to 37% of likely voters saying they will vote for him if the election was held today. Republican Challenger John Runyan moved to 40% of the likely voters saying they would vote for him from the previous Stockton/Zogby poll, conducted September 21–23, where 30% said they would vote for him. Tea Party candidate Peter DeStefano dropped from 7.6% to 4.9%.

The poll was administered to 600 likely voters in New Jersey's 3<sup>rd</sup> congressional district between October 18 and 22 and has a margin of error of +/- 4.1%. The previous Stockton/Zogby poll of September 19–21 was administered to 401 likely voters with a margin of error +/- 5.0%. Respondents are questioned by trained interviewers on the phone.

"The Adler-Runyan race remains one of the closest races in the country. It's a toss-up and will be watched closely all across the country," explained Sharon Schulman, Executive Director of

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Congressional District 3	9/23 poll	10/22 poll	+/-
Adler(D)	38%	37%	0
Runyan (R)	30%	40%	+10
DeStefano (Tea Party)	7.6%	4.9%	-2.7
Not sure/Undecided	23%	16%	-7

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