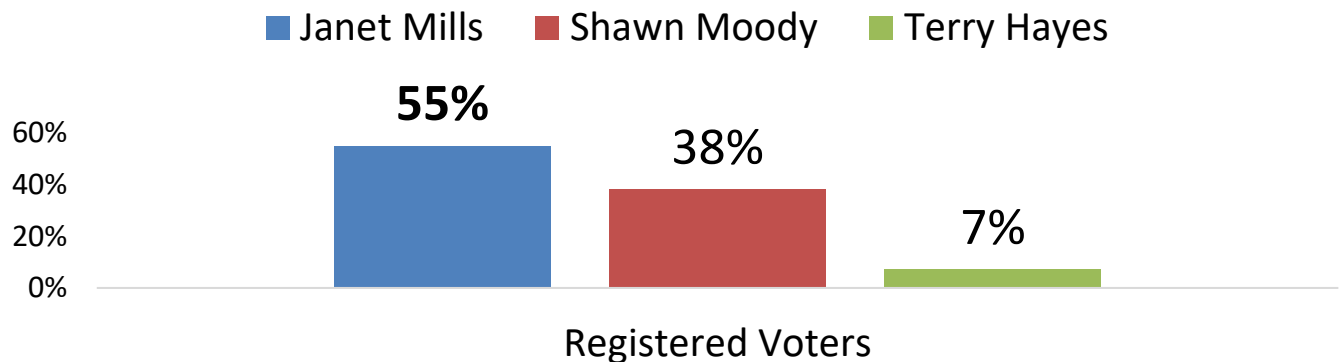


**To:** Interested Parties  
**From:** Slingshot Strategies, LLC  
**Date:** November 2, 2018  
**Re:** **Maine Statewide Polling**

Slingshot Strategies, LLC. conducted a statewide poll of registered Maine voters, assessing preferences in the upcoming general election for Governor of Maine.

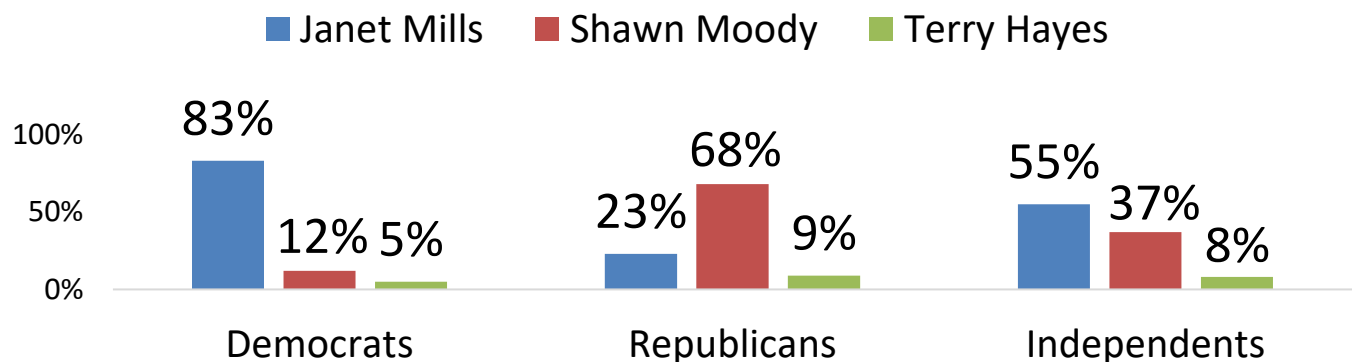
Democrat Janet Mills has secured majority support (55%) and a commanding 17-point lead over Republican Shawn Moody (38%), with Independent Terry Hayes at 7%.

**Governor: Horserace**



Democrats have largely united behind Mills, while Moody has struggled to unify Republicans and is losing Independents by 18 points.

**Governor: Horserace by Party**

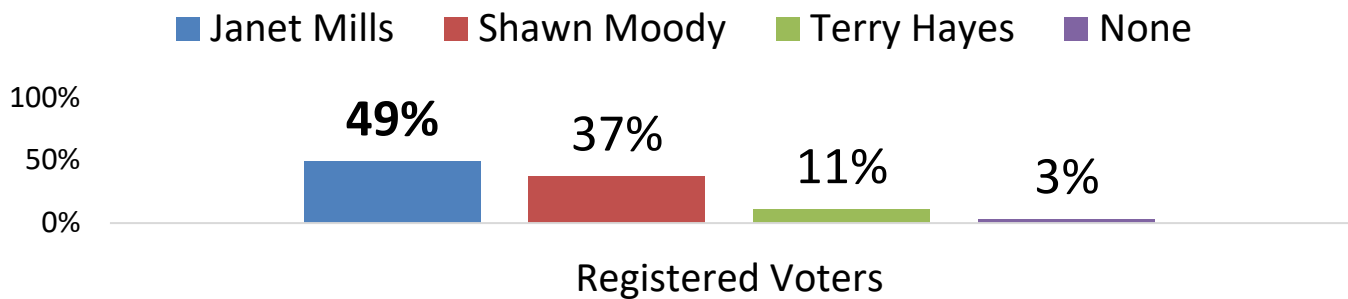


Support for Mills is strongest in the Downeast & Acadia region (64%), while Moody performs best in the Kennebec & Moose River Valley/Lakes and Mountains region (42%), and Hayes is strongest in the Aroostook County/Maine Highlands region (14%).

Governor: Horserace by Region					
	Aroostook/ Highlands	Valley/ Lakes & Mountains	Downeast & Acadia	Mid-Coast	South Maine
Mills	53%	50%	64%	60%	58%
Moody	34%	42%	34%	30%	38%
Hayes	13%	8%	2%	10%	4%

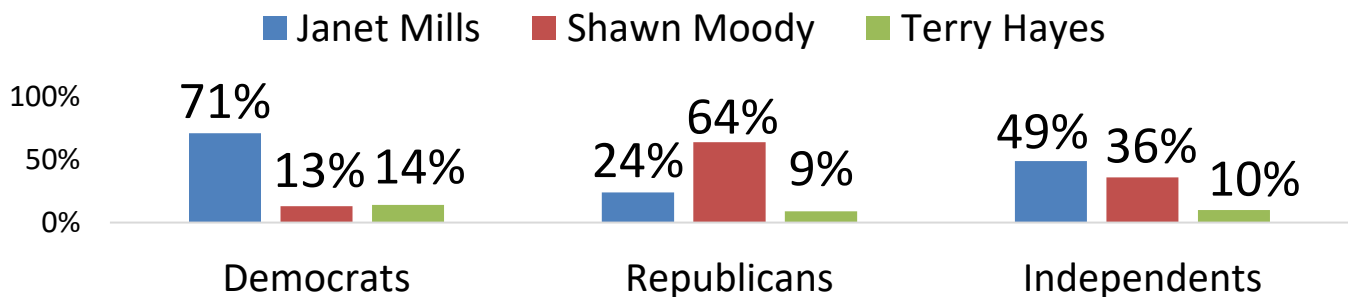
In a hypothetical Ranked Choice Voting scenario, Hayes would be the first choice of 11% of voters, with support for Janet Mills falling six points to 49% and Moody falling a point to 37%.

### Governor: Hypothetical RCV 1st Choice



Notably, 14% of Democrats consider Hayes their first choice in a Ranked Choice Voting scenario, a 9-point improvement over the horserace.

### Governor: RCV 1st Choice by Party



*Slingshot Strategies conducted an Interactive Voice Response telephone poll with a random representative sample of 518 registered Maine voters on November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018.*