

Today's Lead: Weiner Drops in Polls

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Anthony Weiner said more dirt about his Internet sex life would come out during his mayoral campaign and [boy was he right](#). This week the revelation that Weiner had the sort of online sexual relationships with women that led to his resignation even after he resigned from office forced the Weiner campaign into damage control. The revelations had a major impact in public opinion according to a [Marist Poll](#) that showed his [support dropping](#) to 16 percent with his negatives at an all-time-high. Council Speaker Christine Quinn now leads the pack with 25 percent with Public Advocate Bill de Blasio and Bill Thompson at 14 percent. Weiner [admitted on Thursday](#) to having three explicit online relationships with women even after he resigned his seat in Congress. Weiner [has said](#) he will continue with his campaign.

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