TABLE 11

EXPECTED CHANGE IN FINANCIAL SITUATION IN 5 YEARS

	Jan 2023	Feb 2023	Mar 2023	Apr 2023	May 2023	Jun 2023	Jul 2023	Aug 2023	Sep 2023	Oct 2023	Nov 2023	Dec 2023	Jan 2024
BETTER OFF	51%	53%	48%	47%	51%	48%	49%	51%	47%	46%	50%	49%	54%
SAME	31	28	32	31	27	31	29	29	31	30	28	28	27
WORSE OFF	14	15	16	16	17	16	15	17	16	19	18	16	14
DK, NA	4	4	4	6	5	5	7	3	6	5	4	7	5
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
CASES	600	602	603	601	605	600	601	604	603	605	600	600	601
INDEX SCORE	137	138	132	131	134	132	134	134	131	127	132	133	140

EXPECTED CHANGE IN FINANCIAL SITUATION IN 5 YEARS - INDEX SCORE
THREE MONTH MOVING AVERAGES

All	137	136	136	134	132	132	133	133	133	131	130	131	135
Age 18 to 44	164	164	166	161	162	159	161	159	159	158	158	160	163
Age 45 to 64	131	134	131	130	124	127	127	131	129	125	125	124	132
Age 65+	105	100	97	98	99	102	104	102	103	100	99	101	103
Income Bottom Third	132	128	129	127	128	130	129	127	122	117	116	117	127
Income Middle Third	134	132	132	132	131	130	132	129	131	131	136	138	137
Income Top Third	148	150	148	143	139	139	140	145	146	145	140	139	144
Educ High School or Less	123	127	125	121	118	123	125	124	120	118	117	120	126
Educ Some College	133	131	133	132	130	128	128	129	129	128	125	125	129
Educ College Degree	146	143	142	141	140	139	140	139	141	139	140	139	142
Democrat	146	145	144	145	144	145	143	143	142	141	142	143	147
Independent	139	139	138	131	128	127	133	135	135	131	127	127	133
Republican	125	123	123	124	125	125	122	121	122	125	126	126	124

The question was: "And 5 years from now, do you expect that you (and your family living there) will be better off financially, worse off, or just about the same as now?"

Index Score is the percent favorable minus the percent unfavorable plus 100