TABLE 19

CHANGE IN LIKELIHOOD OF A COMFORTABLE RETIREMENT COMPARED WITH 5 YEARS AGO

	Oct 2021	Nov 2021	Dec 2021	Jan 2022	Feb 2022	Mar 2022	Apr 2022	May 2022	Jun 2022	Jul 2022	Aug 2022	Sep 2022	Oct 2022
GONE UP	30%	28%	25%	29%	27%	23%	27%	25%	20%	20%	19%	18%	20%
STAY THE SAME	43	44	43	42	42	46	43	40	39	40	40	46	45
GONE DOWN	26	28	30	27	30	30	29	34	40	39	39	35	33
DK, NA	1	*	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
CASES	604	602	603	602	600	602	600	601	602	601	602	601	600
INDEX SCORE	104	100	95	102	97	93	98	91	80	81	80	83	87

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THREE MONTH MOVING AVERAGES

All	104	101	100	99	98	97	96	94	90	84	80	81	83
Age 18 to 44	108	102	102	100	103	103	102	102	98	91	86	86	89
Age 45 to 64	103	101	97	95	95	97	97	89	81	74	72	75	76
Age 65+	97	99	98	100	93	89	87	90	89	86	83	84	85
Income Bottom Third	85	82	82	79	77	76	78	79	78	73	68	71	77
Income Middle Third	100	98	94	95	93	94	92	90	85	80	77	77	77
Income Top Third	126	123	123	123	123	120	117	113	106	98	94	94	95
Educ High School or Less	91	88	86	82	82	86	90	91	89	84	77	76	76
Educ Some College	92	91	88	89	89	89	81	76	70	69	69	73	78
Educ College Degree	115	112	112	111	109	106	106	103	99	91	87	89	90
Democrat	117	113	110	112	113	114	111	108	106	102	100	98	100
Independent	99	99	101	98	94	90	91	89	86	81	78	80	81
Republican	96	93	86	83	84	88	88	86	76	68	63	66	68

The question was: "Compared with 5 years ago, do you think the chances that you (and your husband/wife) will have a comfortable retirement have gone up, gone down, or remained about the same?"

*: Less than half of one percent. Index Score is the percent favorable minus the percent unfavorable plus 100