TRUST IN GOVERNMENT LEADERS TO MAKE APPROPRIATE DECISIONS ABOUT EMPLOYEE SAFETY DURING PANDEMIC

OVER THE COURSE OF THE NEXT YEAR...

- 61% expect they will spend less than normal (on either essential or non-essential expenses) in comparison to what it would have been had the pandemic not occurred.
- 28% expect they will reduce the amount they are saving for retirement currently.
- 94% report that the pandemic has impacted the nature of their job (e.g., what they do, where they work, how they go about the tasks required).

89% report at least some remote work currently.

FEELINGS ABOUT WORKING IN PUBLIC SECTOR DURING COVID–19

The pandemic has made the public more aware of the importance of what I do

- 29% Strongly agree
- 39% Somewhat agree
- 22% Neither agree nor disagree
- 6% Somewhat disagree
- 4% Strongly disagree

I value serving my community during this difficult time

- 22% Strongly agree
- 42% Somewhat agree
- 32% Neither agree nor disagree
- 11% Somewhat disagree
- 8% Strongly disagree

The Coronavirus pandemic makes my work feel more meaningful

- 16% Strongly agree
- 30% Somewhat agree
- 35% Neither agree nor disagree
- 11% Somewhat disagree
- 8% Strongly disagree

Working in the public sector during the Coronavirus pandemic is a source of pride

- 16% Strongly agree
- 29% Somewhat agree
- 43% Neither agree nor disagree
- 8% Somewhat disagree
- 14% Strongly disagree

The risks I'm taking working during the Coronavirus are not on par with my compensation

- 11% Strongly agree
- 15% Somewhat agree
- 41% Neither agree nor disagree
- 19% Somewhat disagree
- 14% Strongly disagree

Working during the Coronavirus pandemic has made me consider changing jobs

- 8% Strongly agree
- 13% Somewhat agree
- 16% Neither agree nor disagree
- 20% Somewhat disagree
- 43% Strongly disagree

76% are concerned that the pandemic and the related economic crisis will impact being able to save enough to be financially secure throughout retirement.

72% consider their job at least somewhat risky in terms of potential exposure to people who may have COVID-19.

56% agree that they have been able to get the help, information, and resources they need to make smart financial decisions during the pandemic and related economic crisis.

94% report that the K–12 Education respondents of an online survey of 1,008 full-time state and local government employees, fielded by Greenwald & Associates from May 4 through May 20, 2020.

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