

# Saskatchewan Employees Faring the Worst Nationally on Many Economic Indicators



**50%**

Saskatchewanians living pay cheque to pay cheque (National average 44%) - Worst nationally



**35%**

Expect their local economy to improve (National average 39%)



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Overwhelmed by debt (National average 40%) - Worst nationally



**1 in 4**

Could not come up with \$2,000 in emergency



**34%**

Debt has increased (National average 34%)



Primary reason for increased debt? **Taxes** (19% vs. 9% nationally)



Hardest debt to pay down?  
**Mortgage**



**62**

Target retirement age in Saskatchewan. Five years ago? **59.**

## PAYROLL HAS THE POWER

- ✓ To help employees **Pay Themselves First** by arranging automatic deductions from their pay to use towards debt repayment or retirement savings
- ✓ To assist employers in delivering financial wellness programs and resources

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