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Anniversary Project: The Middle Class In Massachusetts

As MassINC marks its 30th anniversary, each of our teams are revisiting our founding question of how to build a growing and thriving middle class in Massachusetts.

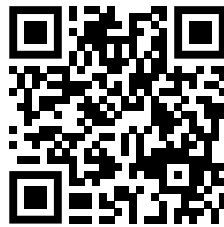
The MassINC Policy Center has released *The Massachusetts Middle Class Status Report*, examining if households in the state can achieve economic security, stability, and full participation in civic life. Using a multidimensional economic capacity framework, the report offers a rigorous, data-driven assessment of whether our economy is delivering broadly shared prosperity.

CommonWealth Beacon examined the state of the middle class through in-depth reporting and commentary, highlighting stories and elevating voices from communities across Massachusetts.

The MassINC Polling Group conducted a statewide poll, taking the pulse on how residents view the middle class, its barriers and pathways, and whether it's achievable today.

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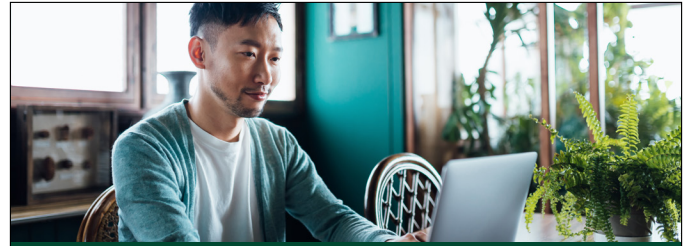
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