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State Representative Jervonte Edmonds Calls for Florida to Shift Focus from Culture Wars to Economic Issues Addressing the Rising Cost of Home Ownership and Insurance Company Departures

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. - State Representative Jervonte Edmonds stated, “I strongly advocated for a shift in Florida's priorities, urging policymakers to move away from divisive culture wars and concentrate on pressing economic issues that directly impact the livelihoods of Florida's residents.”

With insurance companies leaving the state and the increasing burden of home ownership costs, **Representative Edmonds** emphasizes the critical need to prioritize putting money back into the hands of the people.

In recent times, Florida has been drawn into culture wars, diverting attention from the pressing economic challenges faced by its residents. **Representative Edmonds** firmly believes that these culture wars only serve to divide communities and distract from the true concerns that demand immediate attention - financial security and stability for every Floridian.

One of the most significant concerns Florida faces is the departure of insurance companies from the state. As these companies withdraw, Floridians are left vulnerable and at risk. The lack of competition in the insurance market leads to higher premiums and reduced coverage options for homeowners and businesses alike. **Representative Edmonds** stated that, “this issue requires urgent attention, as it directly impacts the safety and financial well-being of Florida's citizens.”

Instead of focusing on divisive cultural issues, **Representative Edmonds** calls for a united effort to prioritize economic policies that empower Floridians. By implementing strategic measures to attract and retain insurance companies in the state, we can boost competition, increase coverage options, and reduce premiums for our residents. Additionally, investing in affordable housing initiatives and supporting first-time homebuyers can create a path to financial stability and economic growth for

all.

As State **Representative Jervonte Edmonds** emphasizes, “it is time for Florida to set aside culture wars and prioritize the economic well-being of its people. By doing so, the state can build a brighter, more prosperous future for all residents”.

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