FL-28: Phil Ehr Endorses Fellow Navy Veteran in Pivotal Florida House District 118 Special Election Set for Dec. 5; Democrat Johnny Farias is 'Focused on South Florida's Working Families' While 'Standing up to Extremism'

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MIAMI – Democratic Congressional candidate and fellow Navy veteran Phil Ehr on Thursday endorsed Johnny Farias in the Dec. 5th special election for Florida's vacant 118th House District seat.

In his endorsement, Ehr, running for Florida's 28th Congressional District, cited Farias's fight for South Florida's working families and for finding solutions to the ongoing homeowners' insurance crisis that has been made worse by Republican inaction in Tallahassee and D.C.

"Johnny Farias is focused on solutions for South Florida's working families instead of the never-ending culture wars that have distracted leaders in both our state and national capitals from fighting inflation and dealing with the insurance crisis that makes it so hard for so many to make ends meet," Ehr said. "As a working tradesman, small business owner and father of five who raised his kids right here in the district, Johnny will listen to our communities, not the party bosses."

Ehr, a retired U.S. Navy commander, also said that, unlike his Republican personal injury lawyer opponent Mike Redondo, Farias would stand up to MAGA bullies who are attacking our freedoms.

"The same values both Johnny and I learned through our service in the U.S. Navy will help him to stand up to the bullies who practice the divisive brand of DeSantis and Trump extremism. Mike Redondo will just be another vote to keep Florida's neighbors turned on each other, while doing the bidding of the special interests who have given us this affordability crisis."

Ehr is scheduled to knock doors for Farias this Saturday, Dec 2nd at 9 a.m. The kickoff will be at the West Kendall Regional Library, 10201 Hammocks Blvd, Miami, Florida 33196

