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IAM statement in response to Gov. Whitmer's State of the State address

LANSING – The following is a statement from **Tricia Kinley**, executive director of the **Insurance Alliance of Michigan**, in response to Gov. Gretchen Whitmer's State of the State address.

"We applaud Gov. Whitmer for highlighting the urgent need to find solutions to reduce the cost of car insurance for drivers throughout Michigan. We encourage lawmakers from both sides of the aisle to work together with the governor on meaningful, comprehensive reforms to fix Michigan's broken, outdated auto no-fault system including cracking down on fraud and abuse, stopping medical providers from dramatically overcharging for procedures and giving consumers a choice in their level of medical coverage."

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