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United States citizens who renew their passports should be able to keep the gender listed on the previous passport or should have the option to change their passport marker to match their actual gender and current identity. Requiring the use of gender at birth is inaccurate and harmful for many people. The current situation puts trans people in danger when they travel as their physical appearance may not match the gender assigned at birth. There is no public safety advantage to forcing trans citizens to have a gender marker that doesn't match their identity.