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Hello. I believe individuals requesting changes to their passport should be able to assign themselves the gender marker they feel best suits them. Scientifically speaking, there are more than two sexes and genders anyway, as intersex people exist, so transgender individuals should not have to assign themselves a gender marker depending in what gender they were assigned at birth, or depending on what genitalia they possess. This has also been settled in court already, as *Zzyym v Blinken* ruled that it was unconstitutional to deny an individual a passport that is accurate to their stated gender.

I made a similar public comment regarding individuals renewing and applying for passports, I believe the option should be available for individuals who want to update their passports as well.