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I believe that passports should not be restricted for trans and non binary persons. A passport for a citizen is a passport for a citizen, and its renewal should not be held up because of a gender change marker. Allowing trans people the identity they wish does not hinder the issuance or usage of passports, and I think it is absurd to insist someone is what they are not against their wishes. If this is to remain, or truly be, the freest country on earth, people must have the freedom to present and identify as they like, especially on their legal documents. I am not trans and have had my passport and drivers license scrutinized simply because my hair style or glasses have changed. Transgender peoples should not endure worse than any other citizen.