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Why are the taxpayers being expected to pay for something that does not benefit anyone, and only causes harm? Across the 3 passport-related changes, an 80% increase is being proposed, costing an additional \$300M. How many jobs could have been preserved which actually contribute to the health and wellbeing of our citizens? What other programs would benefit from \$300M?

Aside from the money, we have the science. We all know that the orders Trump is issuing defy science. We know that people are born intersex. We know that people are misgendered at birth. We know that intersex people are surgically altered to appear as one gender, and as they develop, it may be discovered that the doctors or parents chose the wrong one. (Perhaps those surgeries will be illegal now?) No matter how you slice it, lacking provisions for these individuals is cruel and misguided.

What does the application of these changes look like? When an obvious man walks up to the immigration counter while travelling, and their passport says FEMALE, what is going to happen? How about the opposite? How many times are they going to have to be questioned and delayed while it gets sorted?

It is the responsibility to protect our citizens. What happens when someone travels to a country where it's physically dangerous for someone to have a different apparent gender than their government documents? We just put them in danger? That's obscene!

Trump says he's protecting women, but how does this protect anyone? Whether someone has an M or an F on their passport does not impact anyone, other than that individual. This is a personal agenda of hate, and it's unacceptable.

This is not about bathrooms or sports. This is about global travel and commerce. The cost to the American people will far exceed the \$300M total increase of these 3 changes.