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## **Comments Received:**

Culturally and historically, there are more than two genders. To ignore this is to ignore knowledge and proven fact. If we are to be a country that prides itself on being the "land of the free", who are we to choose who that freedom goes to? Many people identify as a gender other than "male" or "female", and the lack of option will not deny the existence of these people. The lack of options to choose other than "male" and "female" is reductive, and will promote harm towards Americans who identify differently. We must do better.