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Comments Received :

I'm concerned for the safety of Americans who identify as trans or intersex when they travel if they do not have the option to select the gender that matches their presentation. That could jeopardize their ability to enter another country safely- and is sure to generate confusion, at the very least.

The bureaucratic burdens for having an 'X' option are minimal. In fact, the cost of resolving confusion around a variety of state-issued documents that display different gender/sex markers would likely be higher to state entities than allowing an individual citizen to update that information accurately on their own.

I implore you to return to the passport renewal application forms and passport documents that were in effect in 2024 to allow all U.S. Citizens to travel freely.