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## **Comments Received:**

The proposed changes are unconstitutional, arbitrary and capricious, thereby violating the Administrative Procedures Act. They have no practical purpose and represent a waste of taxpayer dollars. Replacing the term "gender" with "sex", requesting applicants' biological sex at birth, and removing "x" as an option is inhumane and counter to the cause of treating people with dignity. Furthermore, these policies violate transgender, intersex, and nonbinary people's rights under the Due Process Clause of the Constitution by discriminating on the basis of sex. It also violates the first amendment by requiring people to have a designation on their passport that conflict with their identity.