

We can help you expedite your passport application in an emergency, report lost passports, and monitor overseas travel restrictions.

For general questions regarding the State Department's Bureau of Consular Affairs passport services, see the [State Department's Frequently Requested Information Web page](#) .

**Effective June 1st, United States citizens entering the country from Canada, Mexico, Bermuda, and the Caribbean must present a valid passport or secure I.D. to re-enter the country**

. Children under 16 are exempt but must present their birth certificate or other proof of U.S. citizenship such as a naturalization certificate or citizenship card. By implementing this requirement, the U.S. government will be completing the land and sea phase of the [Western Hemisphere Travel Initiative \(WHTI\)](#) .

The WHTI also puts into action the

[U.S. Customs and Border Protection's Trusted Travel Program](#)

, which provides expedited travel for pre-approved, low-risk travelers.

***For additional assistance with passports or overseas travel, please contact our District Office at (773) 267-5926.***