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**Why You Should Refuse the REAL ID**

States are in a panic over the REAL ID deadline because of coronavirus. Many states are closing DMV offices. Some states have asked the federal government to extend the October 1st deadline, but the feds have refused.

Let me remind you of why you should NOT to get a REAL ID. The only way to stop the government from turning the REAL ID into a national Identification and tracking card required for everything you do in life is by making sure most people do not have one. It’s not mandatory. Get a passport to fly and a standard driver’s license to drive. The standard license says “not for federal purposes.” It has no gold star. Remember, you don’t need REAL ID to fly. Protect your freedom. Refuse the REAL ID.

“**States call for federal delay to enforcement date for ‘Real ID’ use at airports,”** Sarah O’Brien, CNBC, March 16, 2020: [https://cnb.cx/2Uy7bLt](https://cnb.cx/2Uy7bLt)