

# MINNESOTA DRIVER'S LICENSE AND ID OPTIONS

## WHAT DO I NEED TO BOARD A PLANE NOW?

Minnesotans can use their standard driver's license or ID card to board a domestic flight today and should be able to use their standard driver's license or ID card for domestic air travel until 2020 since the state is on track to issue REAL ID-compliant cards Oct. 1, 2018. The U.S. Department of Homeland Security informed DPS-DVS the state may request an extension from enforcement later this year.

### STANDARD DRIVER'S LICENSE OR ID CARD

- Should be acceptable for domestic air travel and to access federal facilities now until October 2020.
- After Oct. 2020, these won't be acceptable forms of identification for domestic air travel or federal use.
- They will remain valid for identification purposes and lawful driving privileges. Cost: driver's license \$25.25 / ID card \$19.25.

### ENHANCED DRIVER'S LICENSE OR ID CARD

- Can be used for domestic air travel and to access federal facilities now.
- Will continue to be acceptable forms of identification for federal purposes even after REAL ID-compliant cards become available.
- Can be used as U.S. border crossing documents.
- Only issued to U.S. citizens.
- Valid for identification purposes.
- Valid for lawful driving privileges.
- Cost: driver's license \$40.25 / ID card \$34.25.

### REAL ID COMPLIANT DRIVER'S LICENSE OR ID CARD

- Minnesotans can apply for a REAL ID-compliant card Oct. 1, 2018.
- When available, REAL ID driver's licenses or ID cards can be used for domestic air travel and to access federal facilities such as military bases and nuclear power plants.
- Issued to both U.S. and non-U.S. citizens.
- Cannot be used as border crossing documents.
- Valid for identification purposes.
- Valid for lawful driving privileges.
- Cost: driver's license \$25.25 / ID card \$19.25.

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**REAL ID**  
Available after Oct. 1, 2018



**Enhanced Card**



**Standard MN Card**



**Passport Card**



**Passport Book**



	Driver's License	Identification Card	Driver's License	Identification Card	Driver's License	Identification Card		
Age Requirement	Must be at least 16 years old	No	Must be at least 16 years old	Must be at least 16 years old	Must be at least 16 years old	No	No	No
<b>Domestic Air Travel</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Acceptable until October 1, 2020</b>	<b>Acceptable until October 1, 2020</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>
International Air Travel	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes
<b>Border Crossing</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>
Contains Radio Frequency Identification (RFID)	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>*Entering Federal Facilities</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes (Until Oct. 1, 2020)</b>	<b>Yes (Until Oct. 1, 2020)</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>
*Entering Military Bases	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes (Until Oct. 1, 2020)	Yes (Until Oct. 1, 2020)	Yes	Yes
<b>* Entering Nuclear Power Plants</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes (Until Oct. 1, 2020)</b>	<b>Yes (Until Oct. 1, 2020)</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>
Identification purposes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Valid for Lawful Driving Privileges</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
Issued to US Citizen	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Issued to Non-US Citizen</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
Acceptable after October 2020 for Federal Purposes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Not for federal purposes	Not for federal purposes	Yes	Yes

\*Please call facility ahead of time to verify identification requirements for entrance  
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