## **Utah Legal Gender and/or Name Change**

Instructions and forms can be obtained on-line

at: <a href="http://www.utcourts.gov/resources/forms/namechange/">http://www.utcourts.gov/resources/forms/namechange/</a> or at any county courthouse.

#### Resources needed:

forms from website above

recommended to submit doctors and mental health professionals letters to judge

\$360 but there is a fee waiver form if needed and eligible

Note: There are currently NO forms or process to legally change one's gender but there is also NO legislation to prevent it. The cost is \$360 for each change so if a name change is completed and then a gender change afterwards, it will cost \$360 each time so it is certainly more advantageous to do them together. All of the forms for the legal name change will need to be modified to include gender.

## **Utah Birth Certificate**

Visit the Utah Department of Vital records. Advise the clerk that you would like to amend the name that appears on your birth certificate so that it reflects your new name. Present the certified copy of your gender and/or name change decree along with the amendment fee of \$25. You will be provided with a certified copy of your birth certificate bearing your new gender and/or name.

#### Resources needed:

Certified copy of legal court order changing gender and/or name

\$25 fee

Other states - <a href="http://www.lambdalegal.org/publications/sources-of-authority-to-amend">http://www.lambdalegal.org/publications/sources-of-authority-to-amend</a>

#### **US Passport**

Gender change on passport

http://transequality.org/Resources/passports 2012.pdf

Resources needed:

Proof of citizenship such as previous passport or birth certificate Government issued photo ID such as driver's license or previous passport

If one or more of the submitted documents does not reflect your current gender, you will need a physician's letter certifying "appropriate clinical treatment"

Certified copy of legal court order changing name (legal gender change is not required for a passport but is for birth certificate modification)

Current applicable fees, available at

#### http://travel.state.gov/passport/fees/fees\_837.html

(\$30-\$165 depending on renewal or first-time, card, book, or both)

2 passport quality photos

A completed form DS-11, Application for a U.S. Passport, available

## online at http://www.state.gov/documents/organization/79955.pdf

## **Utah Driver's License**

Resources needed:

Government issued identity document such as passport <u>OR</u> birth certificate for **gender change** 

Approx \$18-\$25 fee depending on if it's a renewal , duplicate, or first time

Certified copy of legal court order for name change

# **Social Security Administration**

Social Security Name Change http://ssa-

custhelp.ssa.gov/app/answers/detail/a\_id/315/~/change-a-name-on-a-social-security-card

Social Security Gender Change <a href="http://ssa-">http://ssa-</a>

custhelp.ssa.gov/app/answers/detail/a\_id/1667/~/change-gender-on-your-social-security-record

Resources needed:

Letter from physician verifying that SRS was completed ID – Driver's License or Passport reflecting change Proof of citizenship – Birth Certificate or Passport reflecting change