

## **State of Kansas Real-ID Compliance**

Starting **August 1, 2017** the State of Kansas will begin issuing Real ID compliant credentials.

In 2005, the U.S. Congress passed the “Real-ID Act” which establishes minimum security standards for state-issued driver’s licenses and identification cards, and prohibits Federal Agencies from accepting identification cards from states that do not meet these standards.

*The new Real-ID/DL credentials will have a “Gold Star” printed on them and the Non-Real ID credentials will specify “Not for Federal ID”.*

In order to obtain a State issued Real-ID, the applicant will need to provide:

- Proof of Social Security (i.e. SSN Card, current W-2, current 1099, current paystub with applicant’s name and SSN on it),
- The applicant will also need to provide a state certified birth certificate or current U.S . Passport. If your driver’s license or identification card has a different last name compared to your birth certificate we will need a marriage license, divorce decree, court order of adoption, or court order of legal name change.

### ***How Will Real-ID compliance Affect You?***

Starting **October 1, 2020**, every person 18 and over who travels by air will need to present a Real-ID compliant license or identification card for domestic air travel.

Real ID Compliance does not apply to:

- Voting,
- Applying for federal benefits,
- Being licensed to drive, or
- Accessing health or life preserving services.

The Jackson County Treasurer’s office cannot complete your transaction for Real-ID compliance if you have a Commercial Driver’s License or needing a first-time issuance of identification or driver’s license. You will need to go to a full service station. See link for full service stations on main page.

If you need to replace your Kansas birth certificate you may go to [www.kdheks.gov](http://www.kdheks.gov), if you need a replacement social security card you may go to [www.ssa.gov](http://www.ssa.gov) .