

# Suspending Global Entry Won't Save Money It Will Make America Less Secure

Global Entry is one of the most effective, cost-efficient, security programs the federal government runs. Administered by U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP), it allows pre-vetted, low-risk travelers to move through U.S. ports of entry quickly and securely using biometric technology. Members undergo rigorous background checks, fingerprinting, and an in-person interview before ever being approved.

The result: faster processing for trusted travelers, fewer demands on CBP officers, and a more secure border.



## 18 million trips annually:

Saves CBP officers 300,000 hours every year, freeing officer time to spend on inspections that require discretion or risk assessment

76% Reduction In  
Passenger Wait Times:

75% of Global Entry  
travelers are  
processed in five  
minutes or less



Biometric technology:

## 83% of Americans support biometrics to enhance airport security



99.8% Performance:  
Virtually all members have  
no security-related  
violations



## 22 partner countries:

Strengthens security and  
throughput for major U.S.-hosted  
events like the 2026 World Cup



## 13% of all arriving air travelers use Global Entry

\$120 Global Entry fee

Peak daily usage **more than 87,000** Global Entry

## 14 million members:

Trusted travelers using  
Global Entry at 79 U.S. ports of entry

