

Think Before You Shrink! This year, try a reusable cover or go bare



Did you know...

- Semi-custom covers cost the same as shrink-wrapping boats around 30' for two seasons.
- Reusable covers can last 5 - 10 years.
- Canvas shops can repair and clean reusable boat covers, extending their life even further.
- Tons of shrinkwrap used on boats is sent to landfills when it is removed.
- Most boats get dirty even with a cover. Skip the cover and have the boat deep cleaned next spring instead. (DIYs can visit mddnr.info/clean-boating-tip-sheet)

Ask your marina or local marine retailer for help purchasing, cleaning, or repairing your cover.

A list of marinas, canvas workers, and boat detailers can be found on the Marine Trades Association of Maryland website (mtam.org) or in the *Guide to Marine Services* produced

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MTAM each year.

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