

# Think Before You Shrink!

This year, try a  
reusable cover



## Did you know...

- Semi-custom covers cost the same as shrink-wrapping boats about 30' for two seasons.
- Reusable covers can last as long as 5 - 10 years.
- Canvas shops can repair and clean reusable boat covers, extending their life even further.
- Installing a reusable cover on a small boat is easy and protects as well as plastic.
- Semi-custom reusable covers are available for most boats.
- Most shrinkwrap used on boats goes to landfills when it is removed.

Ask your marina or local marine retailer for help with purchasing, cleaning, or repairing your cover. A list of marinas and canvas workers can be found on the Marine Trades Association of Maryland website ([mtam.org](http://mtam.org)) or in the *Guide to Marine Services* produced by MTAM each year.

**REFUSE > REDUCE > REUSE > RECYCLE**

