

Rather you believe that global warming is a real crisis or just the latest trend in social media's political agenda, the earth's climate is changing, ice caps are melting, and our natural resources are being used at alarming rates.

What can we do?

Reduce, Reuse, Recycle...yes.

Give up our cars and only ride bicycles?

Realistically, that's just not practical.

Hybrid Shop of the Triad's Story

Hybrid Shop of the Triad...powered by Bill's Auto Clinic, Inc. is a huge leap of faith for us in an effort to be "good stewards of the earth". It is our way of reducing not only our own "carbon footprint", but helping other EV and Hybrid car owners to do the same. In this way, we hope to leave an inheritance (this planet, in better condition than we inherited it) for our children's children.

We as a family and as a company, firmly believe that we have a responsibility to protect the blessings we have been given. We feel that by expanding our business to accommodate the growing need for hybrid/electric auto repair, we can help more car owners to see the value in higher efficiency vehicles. Thereby, reducing the amount of fossil fuels and harmful chemicals burned in conventional vehicles and released into the earth's atmosphere.

By learning more about advanced hybrid battery reconditioning and remanufacturing techniques and investing in the world's highest quality equipment for hybrid vehicle repair, we are among the very best

in our field. In some cases our customers choose to replace old hybrid batteries with low functionality with brand new battery modules and some choose to have us recondition battery packs. Saving our customers thousands of dollars on average over dealership prices. And, most importantly, helping to save our planet by reducing waste, keeping nickel metal hydride batteries and the cars they power out of landfills and in our customer's care where they belong, prolonging the life of the car. We have found that new modules in remanufactured packs can last up to 10 years on average, reconditioned modules will last sometimes up to 5 years, but on average last about 2-3 years before efficiency is lost.

It's the best win-win situation for us all.

Our owners and management have sold their conventional gas powered daily drivers and have upgraded both our individual and business fleet to hybrid vehicles. Thus, we practice what we preach. Our Goal... Happy Customers, Happy Life!

We will continue in our educational pursuits to become better qualified, certified, advanced, and master hybrid technicians, service advisors, and business owners.

We will continue to strive to give our customers the utmost in excellent customer service as we provide exceptional automotive repair service.

We hope to install a charging station in the near future for the complementary use of anyone who owns or operates an electric vehicle, and will list it, (upon completion) online so that it can easily be located via GPS.

How It Began

Hybrid Shop of the Triad began as our owner and founder, Bill Fisher's idea to put the experience he already had in the automotive repair industry to good use in today's technologically advanced and "eco-friendly" automotive aftermarket.

Bill wondered how to help increase fuel efficiency and lower emissions. After some experimentation with Hydrogen power, he began to search out other alternative fuel sources for vehicles. Bill also began to research hybrid automotive solutions. He found that almost all automotive manufacturers were focusing less on petroleum power and developing more sustainable, renewable energy sources to power cars like plug-in electric, hybrid gas/electric and solar energy.

Part of the solution is to focus on learning everything available about Hybrid and Electric Vehicles. Bill began specialized hands-on training with state-of-the-art equipment and multiple makes and models of hybrid and pure electric vehicles. He was certified at the Auto Careers Development Center (ACDC) in Worcester, Mass. under one of the world's most experienced instructors in the field, Craig Van Batenburg, CEO and founder of ACDC.

Coursework included in class, on-line, and hands-on disassembling hybrids, scoping, scanning, diagnosis techniques, finding real-world fixes for real-world problems, and a lot more. ACDC has 3 training classrooms on wheels plus HEVs / PHEVs and EVs at classes.

Bill has also completed course work in Crown Point, Indiana at NuVant Systems, Inc. which "designs, manufactures and distributes electronic instruments and materials for the energy storage and conversion and chemical synthesis industries".

Bill studied under professor, Dr. Eugene Smotkin, and his staff of brilliant scientists.

Our staff has also completed and been certified in specialized hybrid auto repair and maintenance training courses held through local educators and facilities.

Hybrid Shop of the Triad's courtesy shuttle 2006 Toyota Prius and Wendy Fisher's 2006 Lexus RX400h.

The Story Continues!!!

Bill testing a Toyota Prius Battery Pack
Voltage testing of hybrid Prius battery modules



Most recently Bill has decided to continue following his heart in hopes of expanding the hybrid vehicle approach to saving the world!

We help people see the value of reconditioning their existing hybrid battery.

We aim to teach current hybrid car owners that by reconditioning and recycling we can reduce landfill materials and help save the environment at a fraction of the dealerships price!

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What makes Bill's Auto Clinic, Inc and Hybrid Shop of the Triad different from everyone else?

We own the most state-of-the-art NuVant Systems EV-c30 Hybrid Battery Reconditioning and automatic cell balancing machines. This equipment is rare, and requires significant training for proper use and we are certified specialists.

In other words, we don't just test cells and replace with new ones, we actually recondition and balance your entire battery pack, rebuild and reuse all quality parts, replacing only what needs to be, road test the unit in our test vehicle under real world stressors and driving conditions. And we

offer an extended warranty program for our batteries for up to five years when the dealerships can't or won't offer but one year warranty in most cases.