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### [Putting the Brakes on Breast Cancer!](#)

**Throughout October automotive repair shops across the country are looking to end breast cancer with a unique fundraising campaign.**

During the Month of October, Elysian Auto Service in Elysian, MN and more than 100 other Independent Auto Repair Shops across the US are raising funds for a breast cancer vaccine as part of the Brakes for Breast fundraiser. Elysian Auto Service is proud to be representing Minnesota for the 4th year.

As part of the fundraiser, the auto repair facilities are giving away FREE (quality) brake pads or shoes. The customer simply pays the labor and any other ancillary parts necessary to complete the brake job and the shops then donate 10% of the brake job directly to Dr. Vincent Tuohy & the Cleveland Clinic Breast Cancer Vaccine Research Fund.

100% of what we donate goes directly to research!

**2018 marks the seventh year for the Brakes For Breasts fundraiser.**

2011 Our 1st year - 5 shops in Ohio raised \$10,000

2012 Our 2nd year - 27 shops in 17 states raised \$32,848

2013 Our 3rd year - 66 independent auto repair shops in 27 states raised \$66,499

2014 Our 4th year – 143 independent auto repair shops in 29 states raised \$115,236.53

2015 Our 5th year – 174 independent auto repair shops in 32 states raised \$141,868

2016 Our 6th year - 131 independent auto repair shops in 35 states (most ever!) \$125,867.37

2017 Our 7th year - 114 independent auto repair shops in 34 states raised \$114,389.20

To date donation total is over **\$600,000!**

**This Brakes For Breasts fundraiser is different from any other breast cancer fundraising campaigns:**

1. Dr. Tuohy at the Cleveland Clinic has actually created a **vaccine** that has proved effective in laboratory animals in actually **preventing** breast cancer. Think about Polio, eradicated because of a vaccine, a distant memory for most generations. This is the same principle!
2. After 16 long years Dr. Tuohy and his research team are just a year away from their first bedside trial.
3. 100% of the proceeds from the 'Brakes for Breasts' fundraiser goes directly to the Cleveland Clinic for research on the Breast Cancer Vaccine.

4. These are just "mom & pop" shops across the country, independent business owners that have joined hands for a great cause.

For more information about the Breast Cancer Vaccine, Dr. Tuohy and a list of participating shops go to [www.brakesforbreasts.org](http://www.brakesforbreasts.org), download our "Brakes for Breasts" app to your smart phone and like us on Facebook!

**About Elysian Auto Service:**

We are a family owned auto repair shop that has proudly served the local community for more than 34 years. If you are looking for a "NEAR ME" auto repair and maintenance, we definitely invite you to give us a try. We passionately believe that exceptional service, value and integrity are the cornerstones of our longevity. Owner Carl and Susan Morsching and their team are dedicated to premier service, customer education, and community service. All of our technicians are ASE certified so that means we bring the highest level of professionalism and experience to your service. Worry Free Travels Start Here! All of our repairs and services are covered by "best in the area" 3 years & 36,000 mileage warranty. We also serve the surrounding communities of Waterville, Janesville, Madison Lake and Waseca, Morristown, Cleveland and More. More information is available on the company's website: [www.elysianauto.com](http://www.elysianauto.com)