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ENERGY TRUST SUPPORTS EDUCATION

Education was the big winner at the Eastern Bay Energy Trust's meeting this week, with the Trust approving total funding of \$53,831 for energy related projects.

Nukuhou North School received \$26,774.25 to install five energy efficient wood pellet fires and to insulate classrooms.

A distribution of \$6,331.06 was approved for Tawhaki Kohanga Reo to install a heat pump, and the Trust approved \$3,141.39 for Te Aria Toka Family Pre-school to cover the costs of setting specifications for their heating, lighting and electrical upgrades.

Ohope Bowling Club also had funding approved to install heat pumps, with a distribution of \$17,584.89.

Trust Chairman Kevin Hennessy announced the distributions and said "The Trust works closely with schools through its energy audit programme and its developing energy management and education programmes, and it is good to see Nukuhou North School making a commitment to energy efficiency initiatives".

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