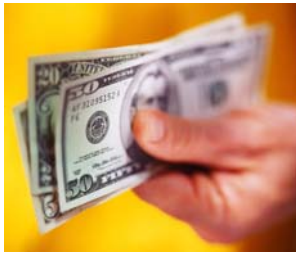


# ENERGY MANAGEMENT - Why all the Fuss?



## **Savings**

By reducing the amount of energy we use, we can really cut back on district spending. This means that more of the money gets spent on things that we really care about:

- More money for teachers and staff
- More education and development programs
- New equipment



## **Environment**

Every time we switch on a light, or make a cup of coffee, we use energy. Every time we use energy, we release Carbon Dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) into the atmosphere. CO<sub>2</sub> is one of the main gases that contributes to Global warming, which is a big threat to the planet, not only because it puts us in the hot seat, but because it causes a greater incidence of floods, storms and drought. For more information go to [cpa.gov/climatechange/index.html](http://cpa.gov/climatechange/index.html)



## **Education**

By example, we can teach our future generation to preserve our natural resources. Energy is a very precious resource, and most of our sources of energy are from non renewable fossil fuels. By using energy wisely, we can better provide for our children, as well as teach them to see the “bigger picture.” For more information on fossil fuels, go to [fe.doe/education/](http://fe.doe/education/)