



John NEWLAND

John has been Chairman of the Hawke's Bay Power Consumers' Trust since being elected three years ago.

Former Chief Executive of Farmlands, John now operates his own business as a professional company director and business advisor. His directorships include: Mission Estate Winery, Direct Imports Ltd, Health Hawke's Bay Ltd and Advisory Boards of Stewart Financial Group, HRV Hawke's Bay Ltd and

Leap Australasia Ltd. John is the past Chairman of the Hawke's Bay Helicopter Rescue Trust and a Trustee of the New Zealand Export Academy.

John recognises that economic development in a region is vitally dependent on having a reliable and sustainable electricity infrastructure and supports ownership by the community. As a Trustee representative of the consumer shareholders, with an ownership focus, he has a positive contribution to make to ensure the investment in Unison Networks Limited continues to meet the needs of current consumers and future generations.