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Mo Bros raise dough for men's health

An enthusiastic team of Mo Bros from East Gippsland Water have raised more than \$340 over the month of November for their moustache-growing efforts, as part of the annual *Movember* fundraising drive.



Some of the team take one last photo before their mos go

This moustachioed crew of six East Gippsland Water staff made the pledge at the beginning of last month to reject razors throughout November, instead choosing to embrace their hairy upper lips for this worthy initiative.

Movember, which is staged globally each year, has raised over \$685 million since it first started in Melbourne in 2003. Since 2003, more than five

million people have joined *Movember*, with those taking part in this movement becoming walking, talking billboards for men's health. *Movember* raises awareness for men's health issues, and funds men's health projects in the areas of prostate cancer, testicular cancer, poor mental health and physical inactivity.

The money raised by East Gippsland Water's Mo Bros will support the work of the Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia, and *beyondblue*'s national depression initiative.

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