**Economic Impacts (2014)**

Agricultural and related industries generate

- 41,313 jobs (15.1% of total) in Brevard County.
- $1.76 billion in revenues.
- 8.6% contribution to gross regional product.

Based on an annual UF study

It is estimated that for every $1 invested in agricultural research and Extension, there is a return of $20 to the community. 

Alston, Andersen et al. (2010)

**Funding (FY 2016)**

- State funds for Extension $930,466 (46%)
- Federal funds for Extension $109,565 (5%)
- County funds for Extension $961,551 (48%)

**Volunteers (2016)**

- Number of volunteers 441
- Hours worked 22,838
- Dollar value of hours worked $551,309

**Giving (FY 2016)**

- Recent donors residing in county 10,160
- FY 2016 donors residing in county 4,613
- Gifts to UF from county residents $3,386,156
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents $35,404

**Client Satisfaction (2013)**

- Quality 90%
  Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.
- Effectiveness 81%
  Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...
- 85%
  Said it solved their problem or answered their question.
- Leverage 73%
  Clients who shared the information with someone else.

**Clientele Contacts (2016)**

- Field and office consultations 7,580
- Participants at group learning events 110,905
- Phone and email consultations 4,959
- Social media engagement 210,037
- Educational materials created 463

**Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2016)**

- Clients reporting an increase in knowledge or skill 88%
- Clients reporting a change in behavior or attitude 71%
- Clients adopting best practices resulting in societal, economic, or environmental benefits to community 64%

**Students and Alumni (Fall 2016)**

- UF students from county 1,381
- CALS students from county 139
- UF alumni residing in county 7,647
- UF/IFAS alumni residing in county 559

**EXTENSION:** Horticulture; 4-H life skills development; Personal and family wellbeing; Livestock production; Marine sciences; Community development; Food systems

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