**Economic Impacts (2013)**

*Agricultural and related industries generate*

- **1,876** jobs (29.2% of total) in Holmes County.
- **$65.6 million** in revenues.
- **19.6%** 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 2014)**

- State funds for Extension: **$221,653 (64%)**
- Federal funds for Extension: **$27,172 (8%)**
- County funds for Extension: **$99,979 (29%)**

**Volunteers (2014)**

- Number of volunteers: **151**
- Hours worked: **3,571**
- Dollar value of hours worked: **$82,383**

**Giving (FY 2014)**

- Recent donors residing in county: **128**
- FY 2014 donors residing in county: **42**
- Gifts to UF from county residents: **$3,330**
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents: **$550**

**Client Satisfaction (2012)**

*Quality*

- **97%** Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

*Effectiveness*

- **73%** Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...
- **89%** Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

*Leverage*

- **62%** Clients who shared the information with someone else.

**Clientele Contacts (2014)**

- Field and office consultations: **921**
- Participants at group learning events: **5,219**
- Phone and email consultations: **2,612**
- Educational materials created: **95**

**Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2014)**

- Clients reporting an increase in knowledge or skill: **88%**
- Clients reporting a change in behavior or attitude: **74%**
- Clients adopting best practices resulting in societal, economic, or environmental benefits to community: **60%**

**Students and Alumni (Fall 2014)**

- UF students from county: **10**
- CALS students from county: **1**
- UF alumni residing in county: **105**
- IFAS alumni residing in county: **32**

**EXTENSION:** Cattle production and forage management, Sustainable agriculture, Volunteer management, Management of forest and wildlife resources

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