JEFFERSON COUNTY

Economic Impacts (2014)
Agricultural and related industries generate

1,946 jobs (38.4% of total) in Jefferson County.

$91.6 million in revenues.

35.3% 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)

Client Satisfaction (2012)
Quality
91% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness
74% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...
88% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage
59% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Funding (FY 2016)
State funds for Extension $465,233 (63%)
Federal funds for Extension $54,782 (7%)
County funds for Extension $219,157 (30%)

Volunteers (2016)
Number of volunteers 142
Hours worked 3,111
Dollar value of hours worked $75,100

Giving (FY 2016)
Recent donors residing in county 224
FY 2016 donors residing in county 84
Gifts to UF from county residents $16,865
Gifts to IFAS from county residents $1,065

Clientele Contacts (2016)
Field and office consultations 1,020
Participants at group learning events 2,066
Phone and email consultations 1,390
Social media engagement 1,122
Educational materials created 684

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 8
CALS students from county 3
UF alumni residing in county 176
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county 44

EXTENSION: Financial mgmt & economic well-being; 4-H youth; Safe use of pesticides; Agricultural profitability; Sustainable small farms; Family nutrition, food safety & health

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