**Economic Impacts (2014)**

Agricultural and related industries generate

- **23,324** jobs (21.6% of total) in Osceola County.
- **$1.10 billion** in revenues.
- **14.8%** 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 **$1,046,774 (52%)**
- Federal funds for Extension **$123,260 (6%)**
- County funds for Extension **$851,420 (42%)**

**Volunteers (2016)**

- Number of volunteers **234**
- Hours worked **9,732**
- Dollar value of hours worked **$234,930**

**Giving (FY 2016)**

- Recent donors residing in county **1,772**
- FY 2016 donors residing in county **855**
- Gifts to UF from county residents **$144,188**
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents **$38,219**

**Client Satisfaction (2012)**

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

- **Effectiveness**: 85%
  - Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

- **Leverage**: 91%
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**Clientele Contacts (2016)**

- Field and office consultations **998**
- Participants at group learning events **22,248**
- Phone and email consultations **15,509**
- Social media engagement **17,434**
- Educational materials created **140**

**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 **461**
- CALS students from county **48**
- UF alumni residing in county **1,291**
- UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **188**

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