**Economic Impacts (2015)**

Agricultural and related industries generate

- **24,072** jobs (21.3% of total) in Osceola County.
- **$1.14** billion in Gross Regional Product.
- **14.4%**

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 2017)**

- State funds for Extension: **$1,359,921 (60%)**
- Federal funds for Extension: **$129,825 (6%)**
- County funds for Extension: **$763,911 (34%)**

**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 (2017)**

- **Quality**
  - Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided:
    - **93%**

- **Effectiveness**
  - Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...
    - **79%**
    - Said it solved their problem or answered their question:
      - **68%**

- **Leverage**
  - Clients who shared the information with someone else:
    - **72%**

**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**