

Economic Impacts (2019)

Agricultural and related industries generate

32,963 jobs (26.1% of total) in St. Johns County.**\$1.84** billion in Gross Regional Product.**19.1%** 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 2022)

State funds for Extension

\$964,278 (53%)

Federal funds for Extension

\$97,535 (5%)

County funds for Extension

\$757,384 (42%)**Volunteers** (2022)

Number of volunteers

538

Hours worked

14,607

Dollar value of hours worked

\$464,488**Giving** (FY 2022)

Recent (5yrs) donors residing in county

5,190

Current (1yr) donors residing in county

2,295

Gifts to UF from county residents

\$9,029,077

Gifts to IFAS from county residents

\$144,992

EXTENSION: Pesticide safety, commercial/homeowner turf grass production, 4-H teen leadership opportunities, Housing, Commercial vegetable production, Ag production & sustainability

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FY 2023 Expenditures: \$1,058,835**Client Satisfaction** (2018)

Quality

95% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

79% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...**78%** Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

70% Clients who shared the information with someone else.**Clientele Contacts** (2022)

Field and office consultations	1,519
Participants at group learning events	22,404
Phone and email consultations	8,383
Social media engagement	23,472
Educational materials created	261

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2022)

Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers	340,124,479
No. of producers who adopted recommended practices	18,690
No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters	55,285

Students and Alumni (Fall 2022)

UF students from county	1,222
CALS students from county	109
UF alumni residing in county	7,897
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county	650

RESEARCH: Alternatives to traditional practices in development, agriculture, land use, and water quality, which include low impact development, Florida Friendly landscaping, niche crops