**Economic Impacts** (2019)

Agricultural and related industries generate

- **4,843** jobs (32.9% of total) in Levy County.
- **$305 million** in Gross Regional Product.
- **34.2%** 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.

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**Funding** (FY 2023)

- State funds for Extension $746,356 (52%)
- Federal funds for Extension $75,232 (5%)
- County funds for Extension $615,619 (43%)

**Volunteers** (2023)

- Number of volunteers 145
- Hours worked 3,041
- Dollar value of hours worked **$101,843**

**Giving** (FY 2023)

- Recent (5yrs) donors residing in county 1,024
- Current (1yr) donors residing in county 278
- Gifts to UF from county residents **$198,244**
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents **$24,223**

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**Client Satisfaction** (2021)

- **95%** Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.
- **80%** Effectiveness: Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...
- **71%** Said it solved their problem or answered their question.
- **66%** Leverage: Clients who shared the information with someone else.

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**Clientele Contacts** (2023)

- Field and office consultations 1,639
- Participants at group learning events 8,297
- Phone and email consultations 7,432
- Social media engagement 321,275
- Educational materials created 126

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**Statewide Clientele Outcomes** (2023)

- Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers **375,503,045**
- No. of producers who adopted recommended practices 20,994
- No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters **39,157**

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**Students and Alumni** (Fall 2023)

- UF students from county 79
- CALS students from county 23
- UF alumni residing in county 941
- UF/IFAS alumni residing in county 213

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**EXTENSION**: 4-H youth life skills; Family and community wellness; Commercial crop production; Clam aquaculture production; Food, health, safety, consumer science; Wildlife mgmt; Beef cattle and forage production; Coastal shoreline restoration, citizen science, living shorelines, and community planning for resilience.

**RESEARCH**: Enhance conservation and improve management of natural resources up and down the Gulf Coast