

Economic Impacts (2019)

Agricultural and related industries generate

11,936 jobs (28.6% of total) in Flagler County.

\$595 million in Gross Regional Product.

23.4% 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 2025)

State funds for Extension **\$594,191 (41%)**
Federal funds for Extension **\$68,257 (5%)**
County funds for Extension **\$780,792 (54%)**

Volunteers (2024)

Number of volunteers **214**
Hours worked **8,252**
Dollar value of hours worked **\$287,078**

Giving (FY 2024)

Recent (5yrs) donors residing in county **733**
Current (1yr) donors residing in county **277**
Gifts to UF from county residents **\$356,667**
Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$1,530**

EXTENSION: Agriculture production and sustainability; Environmental horticulture; 4-H youth development; Nutrition, health and food safety; Community development, Marine sciences

Client Satisfaction (2019)

Quality

94% 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...

82% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

69% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2024)

Field and office consultations **551**
Participants at group learning events **3,273**
Phone and email consultations **3,860**
Social media engagement **190,634**
Educational materials created **1,132**

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2024)

Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers **299,660,684**
No. of producers who adopted recommended practices **22,350**
No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters **37,001**

Students and Alumni (Fall 2024)

UF students from county **195**
CALS students from county **25**
UF alumni residing in county **1,253**
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **111**

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