**Economic Impacts (2019)**

Agricultural and related industries generate

54,620 jobs (17.7% of total) in Brevard County.

$2.93 billion in Gross Regional Product.

10.7% 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 $937,928 (44%)

Federal funds for Extension $94,870 (5%)

County funds for Extension $1,092,460 (51%)

**Volunteers (2022)**

Number of volunteers 306

Hours worked 52,563

Dollar value of hours worked $1,671,509

**Giving (FY 2022)**

Recent (5yrs) donors residing in county 4,294

Current (1yr) donors residing in county 1,682

Gifts to UF from county residents $2,061,362

Gifts to IFAS from county residents $118,034

**Client Satisfaction (2018)**

Quality 91%

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

Effectiveness 82%

Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

71%

Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage 71%

Clients who shared the information with someone else.

**Clientele Contacts (2022)**

Field and office consultations 1,601

Participants at group learning events 44,018

Phone and email consultations 4,897

Social media engagement 450,011

Educational materials created 418

**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 1,233

CALS students from county 123

UF alumni residing in county 8,998

UF/IFAS alumni residing in county 712

**EXTENSION**: Health, Food Safety & Nutrition; 4-H Youth Development, Science and Technology, Leadership, and Healthy living; Horticulture, Commercial and Homeowner; Marine Science, Environmental Policy; Agriculture, Livestock and Crops; Personal Finance and Unintentional Injury Prevention.

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