Economic Impacts (2018)
Agricultural and related industries generate

$54,352 jobs (24.2% of total) in Collier County.

$3.26 billion in Gross Regional Product.

17.8% 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 2020)
- State funds for Extension $975,809 (51%)
- Federal funds for Extension $100,790 (5%)
- County funds for Extension $838,500 (44%)

Volunteers (2019)
- Number of volunteers 704
- Hours worked 11,109
- Dollar value of hours worked $302,165

Giving (FY 2019)
- Recent donors residing in county 1,623
- FY 2019 donors residing in county 715
- Gifts to UF from county residents $1,154,912
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents $179,592

Client Satisfaction (2015)

Quality 93% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness 86% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

78% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage 78% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2019)
- Field and office consultations 406
- Participants at group learning events 80,388
- Phone and email consultations 6,488
- Social media engagement 3,894
- Educational materials created 149

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2019)
- Gallons of water saved by residential participants 467,145,870
- No. of producers who adopted recommended practices 15,244
- No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters 51,697

Students and Alumni (Fall 2019)
- UF students from county 605
- CALS students from county 44
- UF alumni residing in county 2,682
- UF/IFAS alumni residing in county 244

EXTENSION: 4-H Youth Development, Family Nutrition Program, Sustainable Food Systems, Commercial and Residential Horticulture, Master Gardener Volunteers, Florida Friendly Landscapes, Community Resource Development, Sea Grant, Family and Consumer Science

COMPATIBILITIES: Watermelon, tomatoes, cucumbers, sweet peppers, squash, stone crab, ornamental horticultural plants

RESEARCH: Vegetable and citrus production, water resources and agricultural economics

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