**Economic Impacts (2019)**

Agricultural and related industries generate

2,118 jobs (55.2% of total) in Glades County.

$167 million in Gross Regional Product.

53.9%

It is estimated that for every $1 invested in agricultural research and Extension, there is a return of $20 to the community.  

*Based on an annual UF study*

**Funding (FY 2021)**

State funds for Extension $228,484 (69%)

Federal funds for Extension $22,443 (7%)

County funds for Extension $85,217 (25%)

**Volunteers (2020)**

Number of volunteers 105

Hours worked 3,000

Dollar value of hours worked $85,620

**Giving (FY 2020)**

Recent donors residing in county 19

FY 2020 donors residing in county 10

Gifts to UF from county residents $1,304

Gifts to IFAS from county residents $245

**Client Satisfaction (2017)**

Quality

100% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

78% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

57% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

78% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

**Clientele Contacts (2020)**

Field and office consultations 103

Participants at group learning events 3,072

Phone and email consultations 8,034

Social media engagement 92,960

Educational materials created 88

**Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2020)**

Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers 344,958,268

No. of producers who adopted recommended practices 17,589

No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters 55,285

**Students and Alumni (Fall 2020)**

UF students from county 8

CALS students from county 3

UF alumni residing in county 33

UF/IFAS alumni residing in county 10

**EXTENSION:** Developing and improving life skills and interpersonal relationships for 4-H youth; Small farms livestock; South Florida Beef Forage program

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