HENDRY COUNTY

Economic Impacts (2018)
Agricultural and related industries generate
12,357 jobs (62.2% of total) in Hendry County.
$756 million in Gross Regional Product.
64.4%

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

Funding (FY 2020)
State funds for Extension $570,727 (60%)
Federal funds for Extension $58,950 (6%)
County funds for Extension $319,868 (34%)

Volunteers (2019)
Number of volunteers 138
Hours worked 2,925
Dollar value of hours worked $79,560

Giving (FY 2019)
Recent donors residing in county 167
FY 2019 donors residing in county 70
Gifts to UF from county residents $111,504
Gifts to IFAS from county residents $36,196

Client Satisfaction (2018)
Quality 95%
Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness 77%
Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and... 68%
Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage 71%
Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2019)
Field and office consultations 715
Participants at group learning events 10,511
Phone and email consultations 2,728
Social media engagement 13,940
Educational materials created 203

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 48
CALS students from county 12
UF alumni residing in county 239
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county 100

EXTENSION: Commercial vegetable, citrus, and livestock production; sugarcane agronomy; 4-H youth development; Homeowner and commercial horticulture

ALSTON, Andersen et al. (2010)

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