

**Economic Impacts** (2016)

Agricultural and related industries generate

**1,777** jobs (28.2% of total) in Holmes County.  
**\$34** million in Gross Regional Product.  
**12.5%** 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 2018)

State funds for Extension **\$409,132 (73%)**  
 Federal funds for Extension **\$42,313 (8%)**  
 County funds for Extension **\$112,202 (20%)**

**Volunteers** (2017)

Number of volunteers **201**  
 Hours worked **5,945**  
 Dollar value of hours worked **\$146,782**

**Giving** (FY 2017)

Recent donors residing in county **122**  
 FY 2017 donors residing in county **40**  
 Gifts to UF from county residents **\$1,659**  
 Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$350**

**Client Satisfaction** (2017)

Quality

**92%** Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

**75%** Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

**77%** Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

**67%** Clients who shared the information with someone else.

**Clientele Contacts** (2017)

Field and office consultations **577**  
 Participants at group learning events **7,438**  
 Phone and email consultations **1,847**  
 Social media engagement **826,337**  
 Educational materials created **141**

**Statewide Clientele Outcomes** (2017)

Gallons of water saved by residential participants **176,405,796**  
 No. of producers who adopted recommended practices **20,813**  
 No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters **56,562**

**Students and Alumni** (Fall 2017)

UF students from county **14**  
 CALS students from county **4**  
 UF alumni residing in county **97**  
 UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **32**

**EXTENSION:** Cattle production and forage management; Sustainable agriculture; Management of forest and wildlife resources; Volunteer management; 4-H youth development; Housing and money management; Nutrition and food safety/preservation

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