**Economic Impacts (2019)**
Agricultural and related industries generate

- **1,330 jobs** (50.2% of total) in Liberty County.
- **$153 million** in Gross Regional Product.
- **65.6% 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: **$159,885 (51%)**
- Federal funds for Extension: **$16,172 (5%)**
- County funds for Extension: **$136,947 (44%)**

**Volunteers (2022)**
- Number of volunteers: **27**
- Hours worked: **630**
- Dollar value of hours worked: **$20,029**

**Giving (FY 2022)**
- Recent (5yrs) donors residing in county: **18**
- Current (1yr) donors residing in county: **7**
- Gifts to UF from county residents: **$3,058**
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents: **$70**

**Client Satisfaction (2018)**
- Quality: **100%** Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.
- Effectiveness: **87%** Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and... **82%** Said it solved their problem or answered their question.
- Leverage: **73%** Clients who shared the information with someone else.

**Clientele Contacts (2022)**
- Field and office consultations: **75**
- Participants at group learning events: **2,691**
- Phone and email consultations: **931**
- Social media engagement: **15,109**
- Educational materials created: **119**

**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: **2**
- CALS students from county: **0**
- UF alumni residing in county: **32**
- UF/IFAS alumni residing in county: **12**

**EXTENSION: Food Safety, Food Preservation, Family Resource Management, Food and Nutrition, Health and Wellness, 4-H Positive Youth Development, 4-H Life Skill Development**

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