**Economic Impacts (2018)**

Agricultural and related industries generate $284,970,000 in jobs (15.9% of total) in Miami-Dade County. $20.47 billion in Gross Regional Product. 12.7% 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 2021)**

- State funds for Extension: $1,535,167 (55%)
- Federal funds for Extension: $150,790 (5%)
- County funds for Extension: $1,129,600 (40%)

**Volunteers (2020)**

- Number of volunteers: 335
- Hours worked: 8,925
- Dollar value of hours worked: $254,720

**Giving (FY 2020)**

- Recent donors residing in county: 8,177
- FY 2020 donors residing in county: 3,057
- Gifts to UF from county residents: $10,387,096
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents: $200,040

**Client Satisfaction (2019)**

- 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...
- Leverage: 71% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.
- 70% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

**Statewide Clientele Contacts (2020)**

- Field and office consultations: 744
- Participants at group learning events: 18,284
- Phone and email consultations: 12,321
- Social media engagement: 56,702
- Educational materials created: 449

**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: 4,540
- CALS students from county: 31
- UF alumni residing in county: 22,416
- UF/IFAS alumni residing in county: 1,619

**Extension:** Commercial vegetable; tropical fruit & ornamental industries; Pesticide training; Commercial urban/homeowner horticulture; 4-H/Youth; Food & nutrition; Sea Grant programs

**Commodities:** Tropical and subtropical fruit crops, Tropical and temperate vegetable crops, Ornamental crops, Aquaculture

**Research:** Water quality, Best management practices for farms and nurseries to help facilitate Everglades restoration and improve the viability of South Florida agricultural industry

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