**Economic Impacts (2016)**

Agricultural and related industries generate

- **13,158** jobs (22.6% of total) in Santa Rosa County.
- **$721 million** in Gross Regional Product.
- **17.5%** 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 2019)**

- State funds for Extension **$744,879 (54%)**
- Federal funds for Extension **$70,138 (5%)**
- County funds for Extension **$555,560 (41%)**

**Volunteers (2018)**

- Number of volunteers **631**
- Hours worked **29,066**
- Dollar value of hours worked **$739,148**

**Giving (FY 2018)**

- Recent donors residing in county **1,814**
- FY 2018 donors residing in county **848**
- Gifts to UF from county residents **$341,917**
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents **$655**

**Client Satisfaction (2015)**

- **Quality** 94%
  - Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.
- **Effectiveness** 81%
  - Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...
- **87%**
  - Said it solved their problem or answered their question.
- **Leverage** 82%
  - Clients who shared the information with someone else.

**Clientele Contacts (2018)**

- Field and office consultations **5,971**
- Participants at group learning events **44,293**
- Phone and email consultations **19,085**
- Social media engagement **115,271**
- Educational materials created **219**

**Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2018)**

- Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers **386,541,761**
- No. of producers who adopted recommended practices **8,543**
- No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters **47,638**

**Students and Alumni (Fall 2018)**

- UF students from county **226**
- CALS students from county **38**
- UF alumni residing in county **1,325**
- UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **182**

**EXTENSION**: Agriculture; Natural resources; Residential and commercial horticulture; Marine Science; 4-H youth development; Nutrition and food safety; Personal and family well being

**COMMODITIES**: Peanuts, Cotton, Forestry, Wildlife, Ornamentals, Turfgrass

**RESEARCH**: Agriculture; Agronomy; Environmental horticulture; Natural resource conservation; Golf and sports turf management; Weed science

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