Economic Impacts (2016)
Agricultural and related industries generate

- **5,180** jobs (60.9% of total) in Taylor County.
- **$521** million in Gross Regional Product.
- **77.2%** 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: $545,509 (69%)
- Federal funds for Extension: $56,418 (7%)
- County funds for Extension: $193,377 (24%)

Volunteers (2017)
- Number of volunteers: 317
- Hours worked: 5,337
- Dollar value of hours worked: $131,771

Giving (FY 2017)
- Recent donors residing in county: 344
- FY 2017 donors residing in county: 220
- Gifts to UF from county residents: $110,010
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents: $4,400

Client Satisfaction (2014)
- Quality: **99%** Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.
- Effectiveness: **79%** Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...
- Effectiveness: **92%** Said it solved their problem or answered their question.
- Leverage: **89%** Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2017)
- Field and office consultations: 1,317
- Participants at group learning events: 21,408
- Phone and email consultations: 6,721
- Social media engagement: 121,006
- Educational materials created: 162

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: 29
- CALS students from county: 4
- UF alumni residing in county: 181
- UF/IFAS alumni residing in county: 45

EXTENSION: Farm profitability; Developing life skills in 4-H youth; Successful parenting and family development; Community development; Marine environment, recreational fishing, artificial reef

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