**Economic Impacts** (2017)

Agricultural and related industries generate

- **54,252** jobs (22.3% of total) in Volusia County.
- **$2.55 billion** in Gross Regional Product.
- **15.9%** 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.  

**Funding** (FY 2019)

- State funds for Extension **$1,042,831 (56%)**
- Federal funds for Extension **$98,193 (5%)**
- County funds for Extension **$719,337 (39%)**

**Volunteers** (2018)

- Number of volunteers **680**
- Hours worked **49,561**
- Dollar value of hours worked **$1,260,336**

**Giving** (FY 2019)

- Recent donors residing in county **2,916**
- FY 2019 donors residing in county **1,363**
- Gifts to UF from county residents **$3,114,735**
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents **$42,980**

**Client Satisfaction** (2017)

- **Quality**
  - Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided **94%**

- **Effectiveness**
  - Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and... **89%**
  - Said it solved their problem or answered their question **84%**

- **Leverage**
  - Clients who shared the information with someone else **74%**

**Clientele Contacts** (2018)

- Field and office consultations **7,058**
- Participants at group learning events **104,107**
- Phone and email consultations **42,120**
- Social media engagement **315,324**
- Educational materials created **268**

**Statewide Clientele Outcomes** (2018)

- Gallons of water saved by residential participants **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 2019)

- UF students from county **725**
- CALS students from county **78**
- UF alumni residing in county **5,733**
- UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **609**