

Economic Impacts (2019)

Agricultural and related industries generate

740 jobs (35.3% of total) in Lafayette County.
\$64 million in Gross Regional Product.
38.9% 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.
Alston, Andersen et al. (2010)

Funding (FY 2023)

State funds for Extension **\$322,910 (68%)**
 Federal funds for Extension **\$32,549 (7%)**
 County funds for Extension **\$118,340 (25%)**

Volunteers (2023)

Number of volunteers **82**
 Hours worked **921**
 Dollar value of hours worked **\$30,844**

Giving (FY 2023)

Recent (5yrs) donors residing in county **71**
 Current (1yr) donors residing in county **28**
 Gifts to UF from county residents **\$9,792**
 Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$300**

Client Satisfaction (2021)

Quality

100% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

84% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

72% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

59% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2023)

Field and office consultations **218**
 Participants at group learning events **23,654**
 Phone and email consultations **3,354**
 Social media engagement **149,878**
 Educational materials created **70**

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2023)

Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers **375,503,045**
 No. of producers who adopted recommended practices **20,994**
 No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters **39,157**

Students and Alumni (Fall 2023)

UF students from county **20**
 CALS students from county **6**
 UF alumni residing in county **115**
 UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **47**

EXTENSION: Sustainable agronomic crop production, Dairy farming production, Managing nutrients; Family nutrition, food safety & health; 4-H Youth development and life skills

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