

## Economic Impacts (2019)

Agricultural and related industries generate

**2,618** jobs (58.2% of total) in Hamilton County.  
**\$254** million in Gross Regional Product.  
**65.1%** 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 2022)

State funds for Extension **\$439,839 (65%)**  
 Federal funds for Extension **\$44,489 (6%)**  
 County funds for Extension **\$196,340 (29%)**

## Volunteers (2022)

Number of volunteers **107**  
 Hours worked **1,263**  
 Dollar value of hours worked **\$40,149**

## Giving (FY 2022)

Recent (5yrs) donors residing in county **81**  
 Current (1yr) donors residing in county **33**  
 Gifts to UF from county residents **\$9,314**  
 Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$40**

**EXTENSION:** Agricultural economic development; Maintaining pesticide safety and health; Efficient production and marketability of beef cattle; 4-H youth development; Healthy living

## Client Satisfaction (2019)

Quality

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

Effectiveness

**85%** Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

**80%** Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

**68%** Clients who shared the information with someone else.

## Clientele Contacts (2022)

Field and office consultations **440**  
 Participants at group learning events **5,727**  
 Phone and email consultations **1,202**  
 Social media engagement **14,986**  
 Educational materials created **97**

## Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2022)

Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers **340,124,479**  
 No. of producers who adopted recommended practices **18,690**  
 No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters **55,285**

## Students and Alumni (Fall 2022)

UF students from county **11**  
 CALS students from county **2**  
 UF alumni residing in county **98**  
 UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **21**

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