**MARTIN COUNTY**

**Economic Impacts (2011)**

**Agricultural and related industries generate**

- **19,816** jobs (21.97% of total) in Martin County.
- **$1.00** billion in revenues.
- **15.6%** contribution to gross regional product.

It is estimated that for every **$1** invested in agricultural research and extension, there is a return of **$10** to the community.

**Funding (FY 2013)**

- State funds for Extension: **$207,907 (42%)**
- Federal funds for Extension: **$25,577 (5%)**
- County funds for Extension: **$261,425 (53%)**

**Volunteers (2013)**

- Number of volunteers: **351**
- Hours worked: **17,067**
- Dollar value of hours worked: **$384,861**

**Giving (FY 2013)**

- Recent donors residing in county: **2,815**
- FY 2013 donors residing in county: **1,268**
- Gifts to UF from county residents: **$275,532**
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents: **$20,075**

**Client Satisfaction (2009)**

- **Quality:** 98% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.
- **Effectiveness:** 80% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...
- **Leverage:** 91% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.
- **60%** Clients who shared the information with someone else.

**Clientele Contacts (2013)**

- Field and office consultations: **2,342**
- Participants at group learning events: **32,484**
- Phone and email consultations: **8,899**
- Educational materials created: **332**

**Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2013)**

- Clients reporting an increase in knowledge or skill: 88%
- Clients reporting a change in behavior or attitude: 74%
- Clients adopting best practices resulting in societal, economic, or environmental benefits to community: 60%

**Students and Alumni (Fall 2013)**

- UF students from county: **476**
- CALS students from county: **47**
- UF alumni residing in county: **2,122**
- IFAS alumni residing in county: **174**

**EXTENSION:** Family economic stability; Nutrition & health; Water quality, Florida Yards & Neighborhoods, Master Gardeners, 4-H life development skills; Commercial/urban horticulture

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