

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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