

## Economic Impacts (2013)

### Agricultural and related industries generate

**64,994** jobs (20.5% of total) in Lee County.

**\$3.17** billion in revenues.

**14.0%** 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 2015)

State funds for Extension	<b>\$465,233 (52%)</b>
Federal funds for Extension	<b>\$54,782 (6%)</b>
County funds for Extension	<b>\$371,914 (42%)</b>

## Volunteers (2015)

Number of volunteers	<b>410</b>
Hours worked	<b>20,234</b>
Dollar value of hours worked	<b>\$476,713</b>

## Giving (FY 2015)

Recent donors residing in county	<b>6,053</b>
FY 2015 donors residing in county	<b>3,129</b>
Gifts to UF from county residents	<b>\$2,183,248</b>
Gifts to IFAS from county residents	<b>\$6,221</b>

**EXTENSION:** Green industry BMP; Florida-Friendly Landscaping; Sustainability; Sustainable marine fisheries; Small farms sustainability; Family nutrition, Money management; 4-H Youth

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## Client Satisfaction (2014)

### Quality

**91%** 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...

**87%** Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

### Leverage

**84%** Clients who shared the information with someone else.

## Clientele Contacts (2015)

Field and office consultations	<b>1,208</b>
Participants at group learning events	<b>20,296</b>
Phone and email consultations	<b>13,183</b>
Social media engagement	<b>54,346</b>
Educational materials created	<b>141</b>

## Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2015)

Clients reporting an increase in knowledge or skill	<b>85%</b>
Clients reporting a change in behavior or attitude	<b>70%</b>
Clients adopting best practices resulting in societal, economic, or environmental benefits to community	<b>65%</b>

## Students and Alumni (Fall 2015)

UF students from county	<b>929</b>
CALS students from county	<b>83</b>
UF alumni residing in county	<b>4,239</b>
IFAS alumni residing in county	<b>444</b>