

Economic Impacts (2013)

Agricultural and related industries generate

1,431 jobs (15.3% of total) in Baker County.

\$49.5 million in revenues.

9.3% 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 **\$348,925 (66%)**
 Federal funds for Extension **\$41,087 (8%)**
 County funds for Extension **\$141,212 (27%)**

Volunteers (2015)

Number of volunteers **36**
 Hours worked **1,367**
 Dollar value of hours worked **\$32,207**

Giving (FY 2015)

Recent donors residing in county **371**
 FY 2015 donors residing in county **202**
 Gifts to UF from county residents **\$51,963**
 Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$350**

Client Satisfaction (2012)

Quality

97% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

78% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

91% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

79% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2015)

Field and office consultations **1,284**
 Participants at group learning events **5,123**
 Phone and email consultations **2,859**
 Social media engagement **22,997**
 Educational materials created **192**

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2015)

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

Students and Alumni (Fall 2015)

UF students from county **46**
 CALS students from county **8**
 UF alumni residing in county **240**
 IFAS alumni residing in county **40**

EXTENSION: Small farm sustainability, Poultry, Florida Friendly Landscaping, 4-H youth development, North Florida Livestock Agents Group

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