

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION AND OUTREACH FUNDING AT A GLANCE

The **three-way funding partnership** with county, state, and federal governments brings the research of the university to lowans across the state. Impact is brought directly to the counties where lowans live and learn. These public dollars are leveraged through the use of grants, contracts, user fees, and donations.

While the funds come from different sources, all contribute to providing non-biased, research-based information to lowans in every county and legislative district. Receiving this knowledge in a way that can be understood, **lowans can make their own plans and arrive at their own decisions for both their own self-interest and the interests of their community.**

COUNTY - 40%

Property taxes levied by County Agricultural Extension Districts are used to provide **educational programming and resources** to meet local needs identified by residents, including support of **4-H clubs**. Often these resources are amplified through **community partnerships** and the work of **volunteers**.

STATE - 24%

Iowa legislative appropriations are used to **support research** based on the questions and needs of farmers, businesses, communities, and citizens in Iowa. State and regional specialists are then deployed to **develop and deliver** education based on this knowledge, making it **accessible for all lowans**, regardless of where they live.

FEDERAL - 10%

Congressional appropriations support **research and program development** for nationally identified needs.

OTHER - 26%

Additional income is generated from receipts for programs, contracts, grants, donations, and other sources. These sources help fund **educators and supplies** needed to support these programs.