2007 Annual Report

All figures represent efforts from January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007

County Extension Agents

Average percent of time contributed to the Master Gardener Program: 37%

Master Gardeners

Master Gardeners trained: 753
Active Master Gardeners including new trainees: 3,835
Hours volunteered by Master Gardeners: 425,445 hours
Value of volunteer time: $7,985,603, which is equivalent to 200 full-time positions
Contacts with clientele: 808,802

Percentage of counties with Master Gardeners engaged in specified activities

- Answer telephones in the office
- Answer questions in the office
- Conduct and/or assist in giving presentations at meetings, garden clubs, etc.
- Staff plant clinics
- Assist or give demonstrations
- Set up exhibits
- Youth work (4-H or other youth)
- Perform clerical activities
- Act as judges for contest or fairs
- Assist by writing and/or compiling information for newsletter
- Conduct soil tests
- Install and/or maintain demonstration gardens or landscapes
- Assist agents in writing publications
- Conduct home visits
- Participate in community gardens
- Write and/or assist in writing news articles
- Collect plant, insect or disease samples
- Conduct surveys
- Appear on television programs
- Answer questions or speak via radio or television
- Answer e-mail questions
- Construct and/or maintain Web pages
- Horticultural therapy
- Work with Junior Master Gardener Program

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