

# RICHLAND COUNTY

## ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTION OF AG TO THE COUNTY



Total Population of County: **15,813**

Total Farmers: **904**

### AG LAND BY USE *(acres)*

Cropland: **196,941**

Pastureland: **3,355**

Woodland: **10,889**

Other: **4,835**

Federal Conservation  
Program enrollment: **6,380**

### FARMING OPERATIONS

Family & Sole Proprietors: **506**

Partnerships: **13**

Family-Held Corporations: **19**

Other Corporations: **1**

Other: **9**

**TOTAL: 548**

### AG JOBS AND ECONOMICS

Total Commodity Sales: **\$186.20M**

Taxes Paid\*: **\$2.7M**

Total Jobs from Ag: **927**

Total Labor Income from Ag: **\$71.50M**

Total Value Added from Ag Industries: **\$129.16M**

### TOP AG PRODUCTS:

Soybeans

Corn

Hogs and pigs

(D): withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

\*: Total taxes paid includes property, real estate, and non-real estate taxes (excluding landlord paid).

#### Sources:

- US Census Bureau 2024 Quick Stats
- USDA 2022 Census of Agriculture

- 2024 Illinois Agriculture Economic Contribution Study