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Image of Pockoy Island, 2018 by Jamie Koelker.

An aerial photograph showing a coastal area with a wooden walkway and a concrete retaining wall along the water's edge. The land is covered with dense green vegetation, including palm trees and other tropical plants. The water is dark and calm. The overall scene suggests a natural area that has been partially developed or protected by infrastructure.

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