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Mangroves, which are used for nesting by Louisiana's Brown Pelican, are threatened by the loss of Louisiana's barrier islands. These islands are vanishing at an alarming rate due to man-made changes to coastal Louisiana, including the leveeing of the Mississippi River. Recognizing the ecological importance of barrier islands and their critical role in reducing hurricane storm surge in Louisiana, CWPPRA has played a part in the restoration of nearly every barrier island and barrier headland in Louisiana's Barataria Basin.

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