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Michelle Balfoort of **Balfoort Architecture** highlighted the synergy between indoor and outdoor living in this Sewall's Point, LEED-certified design. "I view exterior space as equally important and vibrant as the interior," Balfoort says. Floor-to-ceiling sliding-glass walls offer a seamless transition from interior to exterior, and clerestory windows draw the warm, tropical air up and out of the home. Interior partitions and doors are sparse to augment an open feel, while a few brightly colored walls as well as repetitive textures and patterns build a rhythm and add depth throughout the space. Oriented toward the southeast to capture the wind, the home's "U" shape funnels the breeze off the river. A crisp, cool and reflective material palette helps define an airy and inviting feel in this midcentury modern design. Balfoort Architecture, Stuart (772-834-5806, balfoort.com)

