



(photo from Beaver Creek Nursery website)



(photo of fall color from Morton Arboretum)

## **Shawnee Brave™ Baldcypress (*Taxodium distichum*)**

Origin: Heritage Trees (IL); species native to SE US

Mature Size: Large (>45' tall)

Description: Baldcypress is a deciduous conifer native to wet soil areas in the southeastern U.S. Trees from the more northern parts of its range are generally hardy in Michigan. It grows well in a wide range of soil conditions (except very dry soils), and has no serious disease or pest problems. In Michigan it has a slow to moderate growth rate on most sites, but will grow quickly given abundant moisture. Shawnee Brave™ has a relatively narrow upright growth form, and will produce seeds. It has orange-brown fall color.