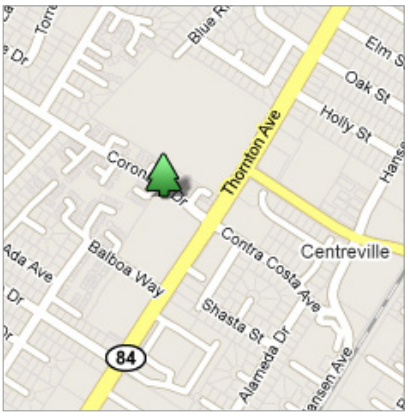
Fagus sylvatica 'Purpurea'
Copper Beech

4555 Thornton Avenue
Centerville District



Approximate location on map.

Green leaves with red veins.

Photo Taken: July 2010

CEN-14 TREE INFORMATION/September 2010

HEIGHT: 43 ft.

SPREAD: 45 ft.

DBH: 2 ft. 7 in.

QUANTITY: 1

NATIVE TO: Caucasus region

LANDMARK DATE: March 17, 1972

As of September 2010, this Copper Beech is the City's only landmark tree of this species and can be found at the Countrywood Apartments on Thornton Avenue and Coronado Drive. Due to its height, the Copper Beech is clearly visible from the street amongst the other trees in the area.

The Copper Beech is a deciduous tree that produces edible beech-nuts and ovular red and green leaves that turn a glowing yellow during the autumn season. [13]