Montezuma Cypress  
*Taxodium mucronatum*

At 33 inches in diameter, this tree...

- Provides overall benefits of **$228** every year!
- Reduces atmospheric carbon by **654** pounds per year.
- Intercepts **5,269** gallons of stormwater runoff per year.

**Origin:** Mexican Tropics

**Growth Habit:** Evergreen or deciduous depending on local climate. Can reach 75 feet in height.

**Temperature:** Tolerant of desert heat when planted appropriately around water, open areas and other mesic landscape features.

**Watering:** Performs well with flood irrigation. Requires regular application, especially in the summer.

El Arbol de Tule (Tree of Tule) is a Montezuma Cypress located on the church grounds of Santa Maria del Tule in the Mexican state of Oaxaca. It has the largest trunk diameter in the world at 46.1 feet. It is approximately 1,400 years old.