April – May

Betula lenta

Sweet, or Cherry Birch

- 50 to 75 feet tall
- 35 to 45 feet spread
- Full sun to full shade
- Moist to dry, well drained soil
- Tolerates drought and poor soil
- Cherry-like bark smells of birch beer!
- Very nice, golden yellow fall color
- Larval host for red-spotted purple, green coma, and much more!
- Dangling catkins in spring