



Botanical name:  
*Quercus phellos*

Common name:  
Willow Oak

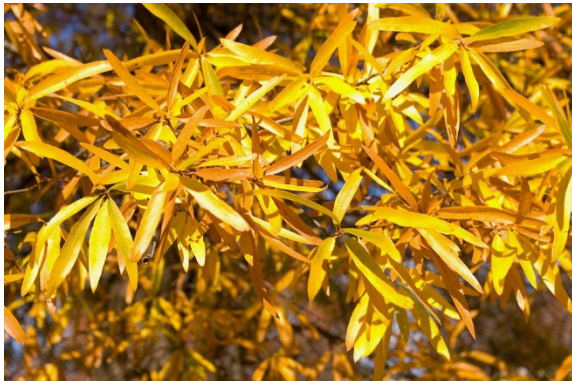
Origin:  
South eastern United States, typically found in moist bottomland soils.

Typical height:  
15-25 metres

Typical width:  
8-15 metres

Growth rate:  
Moderate to fast

Typical form:  
Medium to large, deciduous tree of the red oak group with an oval to rounded crown that is noted for its willow-like leaves. Pyramidal form when young.



Characteristics:  
Smooth-edged, bristle-tipped, narrow, green willow-like leaves that turn a yellow-brown or dull gold in autumn. Dark grey to grey brown, irregularly-furrowed bark.

Site requirements:  
Prefers moist well-drained loams, but adapts to a wide range of soil conditions including clays with somewhat poor drainage.

Tolerances:  
Moderate tolerance of waterlogged conditions. Moderate to high drought tolerance. Generally tolerant of urban pollution. Generally considered to have good resistance to pests and to be a low-maintenance, long-lived tree.

Notes:

Prune to single trunk. Good landscape and street specimen.