Baccharis pilularis 'Pigeon Point' Prostrate Coyote Bush





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LOW SHRUB, GROUNDCOVER - evergreen. 8 - 24" high, spreading to 5', mounding with age. Leaves rounded. Bright green mat.

Horticultural selection from cuttings at Pigeon Point on north coast in San Mateo County. Male cultivar.

Full sun to part shade.

Tolerates wide range of soils and tempartures.

Needs deep summer water every 2 to 3 weeks in hot weather, none in cooler coastal weather.

Excellent for slopes, banks and cascading over walls.

Can be pruned, shaped and sheared for formal or informal effects or even mowed as a lawn alternative.

Fire-resistant.

Susceptible to spider mite infestation in mid-summer if watered excessively or overhead.

