**Cercocarpus betuloides**

**Mountain mahogany**

**General:**
Evergreen, slow growing shrub to 8 ft. tall and wide. Small, hairy leaves that gives a graceful shape and open structure. Tolerates poor soil, drought and seasonal flooding. Looks silvery late summer-fall due to feathery fruits. Deer will browse on this plant.

**Uses:**
A red dye can be obtained from the bark and root. All *Cercocarpus* are nitrogen fixing and have root symbionts that facilitate phosphorus uptake which makes them good for revegetation and erosion control.

- full sun to part shade
- no water once established