



### *Brachychiton bidwillii*

Common Names: **Little Kurrajong; Red Kurrajong**

**Habitat:** Found locally in many softwood scrubs, in rocky areas.

**Habit:** A shrub to small tree to 4 m high. Can be pruned to size. Leaves large, deeply lobed, bright green, hairy, deciduous. New growth pink to red.

**Flowers:** Tubular to 3.5 cm, bright pink. Flowers in spring, after leaves have fallen. Flowers over a long period. Seed pods to 12 cm.

**Propagation:** Grown from seed. Available in some nurseries. Large tuber.

**Maintenance:** Very hardy. Needs good drainage but little water. Can be trimmed to make an interesting and attractive garden specimen.

## **Native Plants Capricornia**