**Chihuahuan Orchid Tree** (Common Name)

**Bauhinia macranthera** (Scientific Name)

### PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS
- Canopy potential: 15’ wide
- Annual Growth Rate: 12”
- Powerline Compatible: 15’ from base
- Root Damage Potential: Low
- Leaves: Bright green and stay nearly evergreen.
- Flowers: Orchid-shaped blossoms in bright shades of pink, blooms in Spring through Autumn.

### ENVIRONMENTAL CHARACTERISTICS
- Water Use: Low
- Edible Fruit Producing: No
- Allergenic: Low
- BVOC Emissions: High
- Sonoran Desert Native: No
- Invasive Species: No

**Tree Care:** Plant in full sun. Tolerant of multiple soil types. Supplemental watering during the summer months promotes growth. Prune to promote a multi-trunked growth pattern.