Grow Our Urban Forest

Tree Information Sheet

City of GLEN EIRA

GLEN EIRA CITY COUNCIL

Eucalyptus torquata

Coral Gum

Height: 6 metres

Width: 3 metres

Growth Rate: Moderate

Origin: Southern Western Australia

Habit: Attractive, small-spreading shade tree growing with a single trunk.



Foliage: The leaves are lanceolate, 90–120 mm long by 15–20 mm wide and greyish-green in colour.

Flowers: Flowers are large and normally coral-pink, but white, cream and red flowered plants are known. Flowering is profuse and occurs in spring to summer.



Fruit: The fruit forms as stout acorns around 1.2 cm in length with a shallow, saucer-shaped cap. The fruit has not been observed in Australia.

Bark: The tree has rough, greyish persistent bark on the trunk and often also on the larger branches.

Tolerances: Prefers well-drained soils and can withstand dry conditions, but does better with regular moisture. Refrain from high-phosphorus fertilisers.

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