**Flame Willow Salix ‘Flame’**

- **Plant Characteristics:** An oval compact dense branching willow that does not lose its branches.
- **Size:** Height: 15—20’
  Width: 5—15’
- **Foliage:** Very narrow lance-shaped, finely toothed 4” leaf. Bright green above and silver green below. Variable shades of yellow in fall.
- **Flower:** Yellowish-green catkins.
- **Fruit:** Brownish-white capsule.
- **Soil:** Tolerates a wide range of soil, prefers moist soil. Sand to clay.
- **USDA Hardiness Zone:** Zone 3
- **Light Range:** Sun to partial shade.
- **pH Range:** Adaptable
- **Other:**
  - Branches retain beautiful orange-red glow in both summer and winter.
  - Excellent shrub for windbreaks, backdrop or privacy screen.
  - Buds and twigs are used by birds and upland game.
  - Provides cover to many wildlife species.
  - Fast growth rate, 4-8’ per year.
  - No major problems.
  - Tolerant of alkaline soil