## Vasconcellea pubescens

COMMON NAME mountain pawpaw

SYNONYMS Carica pubescens Lenné & K.Koch

**FAMILY** Caricaceae

AUTHORITY Vasconcellea pubescens A.DC.

FLORA CATEGORY Vascular – Exotic

STRUCTURAL CLASS Trees & Shrubs - Dicotyledons

**CONSERVATION STATUS** Not applicable

FLOWER COLOURS Red/Pink, White

YEAR NATURALISED 1982

**ORIGIN** Andes of Ecuador and Columbia 1982

**Reproduction** Spreads from suckers and seeds.

**MORE INFORMATION** https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/vasconcellea-pubescens/





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