

Double Yellow Avenas



Double yellow blossoms bring cheer to the garden.



Geum chiloensis 'Lady Stratheden'

- **Use:** UNBELIEVABLY LONG BLOOMING! If you have never tried Geums before, they're one of the toughest, heat tolerant and longest lived perennials you'll ever grow! Also known as Avenas, this offers a flash of hot colour for the early summer border. Grown for attractive hairy foliage and long blooming cheerful flowers in summer. Drought tolerant. Deer resistant. Attracts butterflies.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Sun– part sun, very easy to please. Appreciates some afternoon shade. Provide well-drained, moist soil, but not soggy. Use a slow release fertilizer.
- **Growth:** Moderate grower to 1-2' tall and wide. Clumps should be divided every 3 to 4 years in spring or fall.
- **Hardiness:** 3-8, Perennial. Reseeds
- **Foliage:** Semi-evergreen. Throughout the year, this hardy, clump-forming perennial offers a low mound of fuzzy scalloped leaves.
- **Flower:** The double yellow flowers are large, semi-double and rise from tall, well-branched, wiry stems. They first appear in late spring, and if well cared for and deadheaded they will continue to bloom sporadically into fall. The blooms are followed by attractive fluffy seed heads.