

*Camissonia cheiranthifolia*  
Beach Evening Primrose



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HERBACEOUS PERENNIAL

1' high, spreading 3' across. Forms dense mats.

Gray-green leaves.

Bright yellow flowers. Blooms in daytime; spring to summer.

Native habitat: coastal strand, Channel Islands, Baja California to Oregon.

Full sun to part shade. Does not tolerate frost.

Needs little or no summer irrigation (1 x/month).

Groundcover. Prune out woody stems in fall to encourage new growth.

Can self-seed on a compatible site.

Tolerates salt spray.

