## Scallion-Garlic Hummus (from Farmer John's Cookbook) (Good on days 1, 2, 3, 9, 10)

*Makes about 3 cups (it is easy to halve this recipe)* 

- 3 cups cooked chickpeas, fresh or canned, rinsed
- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup coarsely chopped scallion (green onions), about 3
- 1/2 cup tahini (sesame seed paste), plus more to taste
- 1/2 cup freshly squeezed lemon juice (about 3 lemons)
- 1/3 cup fresh parsley leaves
- 2 garlic clove minced (about 1 teaspoon)
- <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> tsp sea salt, plus more to taste
- 1/4 tsp ground cumin, plus more to taste (optional) pinch cayenne pepper (optional)
- 1. Put all of the ingredients in a food processor and process until they form a thick paste. (Alternatively, mash and mix everything together with a potato masher, or run the beans through a food mill and stir in the remaining ingredients.)
- 2. Season to taste with extra salt, cumin and cayenne. If you like your hummus creamier, stir in more tahini. If hummus is still too thick, thin with a little water. Serve at room temperature or chilled