**Registration No. 333-**

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

# FORM S-3

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

## **TERRA TECH CORP.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

26-3062661 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2040 Main St., Suite 225 Irvine, CA 92614 (855) 447-6967

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

Derek Peterson Chief Executive Officer Terra Tech Corp. 2040 Main St., Suite 225 Irvine, CA 92614 (855) 447-6967

(Name, address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: From time to time after the effective date of this registration statement.

If the only securities being registered on this form are being offered pursuant to dividend or interest reinvestment plans, please check the following box.  $\Box$ 

If any of the securities being registered on this form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, other than securities offered only in connection with dividend or interest reinvestment plans, check the following box.

If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, please check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.  $\boxtimes$  333-210673

If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(c) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

If this Form is a registration statement pursuant to General Instruction I.D. or a post-effective amendment thereto that shall become effective upon filing with the Commission pursuant to Rule 462(e) under the Securities Act, check the following box.  $\Box$ 

If this Form is a post-effective amendment to a registration statement filed pursuant to General Instruction I.D. filed to register additional securities or additional classes of securities pursuant to Rule 413(b) under the Securities Act, check the following box.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer", "smaller reporting company" and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer	Accelerated filer	X
Non-accelerated filer	Smaller reporting company	
(Do not check if a smaller reporting company)	Emerging growth company	

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 7(a)(2)(B) of Securities Act.

#### CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

		Proposed	Proposed	
		Maximum	Maximum	Amount of
	Amount to be	Offering Price	Aggregate	Registration
Title of Each Class of Securities to be Registered	Registered	Per Unit	Offering Price	Fee
Debt Securities	—(1)	—(1)	\$ 834,300	\$ 103.87(2)

(1) The Registrant previously registered common stock, preferred stock, debt securities, warrants, rights, purchase contracts and units with an aggregate offering price not to exceed \$75,000,000 on a Registration Statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-210673), as amended, which was declared effective on August 12, 2016. In accordance with Rule 462(b) promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, additional debt securities as shall have an aggregate offering price not to exceed \$834,300 are hereby being registered hereunder. In addition, pursuant to Rule 416(a) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this Registration Statement shall also cover any additional shares of the Registrant's common stock that become issuable by reason of any stock dividend, stock split, recapitalization or other similar transaction effected without receipt of consideration.

(2) Calculated pursuant to Rule 457(o) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. Represents the registration fee only for the additional amount of securities of the Registrant being registered hereby. The Registrant previously registered securities pursuant to a Registration Statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-210673), as amended, for which a fee of \$7,552.50 was paid.

This Registration Statement shall become effective upon filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission in accordance with Rule 462(b) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

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#### EXPLANATORY NOTE AND INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

This Registration Statement is being filed pursuant to Rule 462(b) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and General Instruction IV(A) to Form S-3 to register the Registrant's debt securities, with an aggregate initial offering price not to exceed \$834,300. In accordance with Rule 462(b), this Registration Statement incorporates by reference the contents of the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-201673), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 11, 2016, as amended on August 10, 2016, and declared effective by the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 12, 2016, including all amendments, supplements and exhibits thereto and all information incorporated by reference therein, other than the exhibits included herein.

The required opinion and consents are listed on the Exhibit Index attached to and filed with this registration statement.

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## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the Registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-3 and has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in Irvine, CA, on the 7th day of September 2018.

### TERRA TECH CORP.

By: /s/ Derek Peterson Derek Peterson

Chief Executive Officer

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated have signed this Registration Statement below.

Signature	Title	Date
/s/ Derek Peterson Derek Peterson	Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)	September 7, 2018
/s/ Steven J. Ross Steven J. Ross	Director	September 7, 2018
/s/ Alan Gladstone Alan Gladstone	Director	September 7, 2018
/s/ Michael Nahass Michael Nahass	Director	September 7, 2018
/s/ Michael James Michael James	Chief Financial Officer (Principal Accounting Officer and Principal Financial Officer)	September 7, 2018

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### INDEX TO EXHIBITS

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23.2	Consent of Benjamin & Young, LLP, Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm	
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September 7, 2018

Terra Tech Corp. 2040 Main Street, Suite 225 Irvine, California 92614

Attn: Derek Peterson, President and CEO

#### Re: Terra Tech Corp.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have acted as counsel to Terra Tech Corp., a Nevada corporation (the "<u>Company</u>"), in connection with the filing of a Registration Statement on Form S-3 pursuant to Rule 462(b) filed on September 7, 2018 (the "<u>Registration Statement</u>") under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "<u>Securities Act</u>"). The Company has provided us with a prospectus (the <u>'Prospectus</u>"), which forms part of the Registration Statement. The Prospectus provides that it will be supplemented in the future by one or more prospectus supplements (each, a "<u>Prospectus Supplement</u>"). The Registration Statement, including the Prospectus as supplemented from time to time by one or more Prospectus Supplements, provides for the registration by the Company of one or more of the following securities with an incremental aggregate offering price of up to \$834,300.00: (i) shares of the Company's common stock, preferred stock"); (iii) debt securities, in one or more series, which may be convertible into shares of Common Stock or shares of Preferred Stock (the <u>Debt</u> <u>Securities</u>"); (v) purchase contracts (the "<u>Purchase Contracts</u>"); and/or (vii) units comprised of one or more shares of Common Stock, shares of Preferred Stock, Debt Securities, the Purchase Contracts, in any combination (the "<u>Units</u>"). The Common Stock, the Preferred Stock, the Debt Securities, the Warrants, the Rights, the Purchase Contracts and the Units are each described in the Registration Statement, and are collectively referred to herein as the "Securities" and are sometimes individually referred to as a "Security." The Securities may be issued by the Company in one or more series and may be offered and sold from time to time in amounts, at prices and on terms to be determined at the time of the offering as set forth in the Registration Statement, any amendments thereto (including post-effective amendments) and one or more Prospectus Supplements.

Atlanta	a Chicago	Cincinnati	Cleveland	Columbus	Costa Mes	a Denver
Houston	Los Angeles	New York	Orlando	Philadelphia	Seattle	Washington, DC

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You have requested our opinion as to the matters set forth below in connection with the Registration Statement. In connection with this opinion, we have examined and relied upon originals, or copies certified to our satisfaction, of such records, documents, certificates, opinions, memoranda and other instruments as in our judgment are necessary or appropriate to enable us to render the opinion expressed below. As to certain factual matters, we have relied upon a certificate of an officer of the Company and have not independently sought to verify such matters.

In rendering this opinion, we have assumed without independent verification: (i) the genuineness and authenticity of all signatures on original documents; (ii) the authenticity of all documents submitted to us as originals; (iii) the conformity to originals of all documents submitted to us as copies; (iv) the accuracy, completeness and authenticity of certificates of public officials; (v) that each natural person signing any document reviewed by us had the legal capacity to do so; and (vi) the due authorization, execution and delivery of all documents where authorization, execution and delivery are prerequisites to the effectiveness of such documents.

To the extent relevant to any opinion below, we have also assumed that, at the time of the sale or delivery of any Securities pursuant to the Registration Statement: (i) the Registration Statement, as amended by any amendments thereto (including post-effective amendments), will have become effective under the Securities Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, and such effectiveness will not have been terminated or rescinded, and will comply with all applicable laws; (ii) one or more Prospectus Supplements relating to the Securities being offered will have been prepared and filed in compliance with the Securities Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, and will comply with all applicable laws; (iii) if the Securities being offered are to be sold pursuant to a purchase, underwriting, or similar agreement (an "Underwriting Agreement"), such Underwriting Agreement relating to the Securities being offered, in the form filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement, any post-effective amendment thereto, or a Current Report on Form 8-K under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act"), will have been duly authorized, executed, and delivered by the Company and the other parties thereto, and will constitute a valid, binding, and enforceable obligation of the Company and the other parties thereto, enforceable against each of them in accordance with its terms, and any Securities offered and sold pursuant thereto will have been offered and sold in accordance with the terms thereof; (iv) any indenture ("Indenture") relating to the Debt Securities, any warrant agreement ("Warrant Agreement") relating to the Warrants, any rights agreement ("Rights Agreement") relating to the Rights, any Purchase Contracts, and any unit agreement ("Unit Agreement") relating to the Units, in each case in the form filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement, any post-effective amendment thereto, or a Current Report on Form 8-K under the Exchange Act, will have been duly authorized, executed, and delivered by the Company and the other parties thereto, and will constitute a valid, binding, and enforceable obligation of the Company and the other parties thereto, enforceable against each of them in accordance with its terms; (v) the Securities being offered and any related Underwriting Agreement, amendments to the Articles of Incorporation, Indenture, Warrant Agreement, Rights Agreement, Purchase Contract, or Unit Agreement, as applicable, describing such Securities will conform in all material respects to the description thereof in the Registration Statement, any amendments thereto (including post-effective amendments), and the Prospectus Supplement relating to the Securities being offered; (vi) the Securities being offered will have been issued and sold in compliance with applicable federal and state securities laws and for the consideration set forth in, and otherwise as contemplated by and in conformity with, the Registration Statement, any amendments thereto (including post-effective amendments), and the Prospectus Supplement relating to the Securities being offered; (vii) any applicable listing or other requirements of any stock exchange on which the Securities being offered may be listed will have been complied with; (viii) the rights, powers, privileges, preferences, and other terms, if any, of any Security to be established after the date hereof, and the terms of the issuance, sale, and delivery of any Security being offered (a) will be in conformity with the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws as then in

effect, (b) will not violate any applicable law or result in a breach of or default under any agreement or instrument to which the Company is then a party or which is then binding upon the Company, and (c) will comply with any requirement or restriction imposed by any court or governmental body having jurisdiction over the Company; (ix) with respect to any shares of Common Stock or Preferred Stock being offered, there will be sufficient shares of Common Stock or Preferred Stock, as applicable, authorized, designated (in the case of Preferred Stock), and available for issuance, and that the consideration for the issuance and sale of the Common Stock or Preferred Stock is in an amount that is not less that the par value of the Common Stock or Preferred Stock as applicable; (x) any Securities issuable upon conversion, exchange, or exercise of any Security being offered will have been duly authorized, created, and, if appropriate, reserved for issuance upon such conversion, exchange, or exercise, and that upon the issuance of any shares of Common Stock or the Company, issued and outstanding, as applicable, will not exceed the total number of shares of Common Stock and Preferred Stock and Stock or the Company, issued and outstanding, as applicable, will not exceed the total number of shares of Common Stock and Preferred Stock that the Company is then authorized to issue under its Articles of Incorporation; and (xi) the Company shall be a corporation duly organized, validly existing, and in good standing under the laws of the State of Nevada and shall have the necessary power and authority to issue and sell such Securities.

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Our opinion herein is expressed solely with respect to the federal laws of the United States and the Nevada General Corporation Law (including the statutory provisions and all applicable provisions of the Nevada Constitution and the reported judicial cases interpreting those laws currently in effect). Our opinion is based on these laws as in effect on the date hereof. We express no opinion as to whether the laws of any jurisdiction are applicable to the subject matter hereof. We are not rendering any opinion as to compliance with any federal, or state law, rule, or regulation relating to securities, or to the sale or issuance thereof. As to any facts material to the opinions expressed herein that were not independently established or verified, we have relied upon oral or written statements and representations of officers or other representatives of the Company and others.

On the basis of, and in reliance on, the foregoing examination and subject to the assumptions, exceptions, qualifications, and limitations contained herein, if the board of directors of the Company has taken all necessary corporate action to authorize the issuance and terms of the applicable Securities, including the terms of the offering thereof and related matters in accordance with the applicable underwriting, purchase or similar agreement for such offering, and when issued and paid for as described in the Registration Statement (including any shares of Common Stock or Preferred Stock issuable in connection with the conversion or exercise of any Warrants, Rights, Purchase Contracts, or Units), we are of the opinion that the Securities will be validly issued, fully paid, and non-assessable, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their terms.

This opinion is for your benefit in connection with the Registration Statement and may be relied upon by you and by persons entitled to rely upon it pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Securities Act. We hereby consent to the filing of this opinion as an exhibit to the Registration Statement and to the reference to our firm under the caption "Legal Matters" in the Prospectus included in the Registration Statement. In giving such consent, we do not thereby admit that we are experts with respect to any part of the Registration Statement or the Prospectus, within the meaning of the term "expert," as used in Section 11 of the Securities Act, or the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, nor do we admit that we are in the category of persons whose consent is required under Section 7 of the Securities Act, or the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission promulgated thereunder. Our opinion is expressly limited to the matters set forth above, and we render no opinion, whether by implication or otherwise, as to any other matters relating to the Company, the Securities, or the Registration Statement. This opinion is expressed as of the date hereof, and we disclaim any undertaking to advise you of any subsequent changes in the facts stated or assumed herein or of any subsequent changes in applicable law. We bring to your attention that our legal opinions are an expression of professional judgment and are not a guarantee of result.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Baker & Hostetler llp

### Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

Terra Tech Corp Irvine, California

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration Statement on Form S-3, of our report dated March 16, 2018, except as to the  $1^{\text{th}}$  paragraph of Note 23 as to which the date is June 7, 2018, relating to the consolidated financial statements and our report dated March 16, 2018 relating to the effectiveness of Terra Tech Corp's internal control over financial reporting, appearing in Amendment No. 1 on Form 10-K/A for the year ended December 31, 2017.

/s/ Macias Gini & O'Connell LLP

Sacramento, California September 6, 2018



## CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

The Board of Directors and Stockholders of Terra Tech Corp.:

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration Statement on Form S-3, of our report dated March 16, 2018, except as to the 11th paragraph on Note 23 as to which the date is June 7, 2018, with respect to the audit of Terra Tech Corp.'s Consolidated Statements of Operations, Stockholders' Equity, and Cash Flows for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015, as appearing in Amendment No. 1 on Form 10-K/A.

<u>/s/ Benjamin & Young, LLP</u> Benjamin & Young, LLP

Irvine, California September 6, 2018