UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 30, 2018

ENERGOUS CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) **001-36379** (Commission File Number)

46-1318953 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

3590 North First Street, Suite 210 San Jose, California 95134

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (408) 963-0200

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Ch	eck the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:
	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
	Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
Indi	cate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

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 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 30, 2018, Energous Corporation announced its unaudited financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2018. A copy of the press release is being furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K and Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto is intended to be furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Exchange Act or the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description of Exhibit					
99.1	Press Release, dated October 30, 2018, issued by Energous Corporation, furnished herewith.					
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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: October 30, 2018

ENERGOUS CORPORATION

By: /s/ Brian Sereda

Brian Sereda

Senior Vice President & Chief Financial Officer





Energous Corporation Reports Third Quarter 2018 Financial Results

SAN JOSE, CA – Oct. 30, 2018 – Energous Corporation (NASDAQ: WATT), the developer of WattUp®, a revolutionary wireless charging 2.0 technology, today announced financial results for the third quarter ended Sept. 30, 2018 and provided an update on its operational progress.

Third Quarter Highlights

- Continued to ship chipsets to multiple customers
- Qubercomm announced WattUp-enabled asset tracking tags
- The Gokhale Method launched the WattUp-enabled SpineTracker™
- Increased engineering services revenue
- Reached a milestone of securing regulatory approval for its WattUp wireless charging technology in 100 countries

Recent Highlights

- Austar Hearing (AST) demonstrated a new WattUp-enabled hearing aid at the 63rd Annual International Congress of Hearing Aid Acousticians Conference
- Selected by SK Telesys to demonstrate its WattUp wireless charging technology at the SK ICT Tech Summit
- Invited by Deutsche Telekom to demonstrate its WattUp wireless charging technology at its Telekom Design Gallery "Trend Team" event in Bonn, Germany
- Increased patent count to 181 (135 patents/46 allowed applications as of Oct. 30, 2018)
- Energous continued its global regulatory campaign with the addition of 15 new country approvals. To date, WattUp technology is approved to ship in 108 countries worldwide (up from 92 countries from Aug. 1, 2018).
- Demonstrated support for up to 15W of fast-charging power for smartphones, tablets, cordless power tools, drones and other large battery devices with updated GaAs and GaN-based ICs.

"Our customers are bringing WattUp-enabled devices to market as we continue to secure regulatory certifications in some of the most important markets across the globe," said Stephen R. Rizzone, president and CEO of Energous Corporation. "We are steadily moving forward in the build out of a WattUp-enabled ecosystem by working closely with our existing partners and customers, as well as potential new prospects, to launch next generation wireless charging electronic devices."

Unaudited 2018 Third Quarter Financial Results

For the third quarter ended Sept. 30, 2018, Energous recorded:

- Revenue of \$228,000
- Operating expenses of \$12.9 million (GAAP), comprised of \$8.4 million in research and development, \$2.9 million in general and administrative and \$1.5 million in sales and marketing expenses
- Net loss of \$12.6 million, or \$0.49 per basic and diluted share
- Adjusted EBITDA (a non-GAAP financial measure) loss of \$8.6 million
- \$28.6 million in cash and cash equivalents at the end of the third quarter, with no debt

Third Quarter 2018 Conference Call

Energous will host a conference call to discuss its financial results, recent progress and prospects for the future.

When: Tuesday, Oct. 30, 2018 *Time*: 1:30 p.m. PT (4:30 p.m. ET)

Phone: 888-317-6003 (domestic); 412-317-6061 (international)

Passcode: 2603894

Telephonic replay: Accessible through Nov. 13, 2018

877-344-7529 (domestic); 412-317-0088 (international); passcode 10125711 *Webcast*: Accessible at <u>Energous.com</u>; archive available for approximately one year

About Energous Corporation

Energous Corporation (NASDAQ: WATT) is leading the next generation of wireless charging – Wireless Charging 2.0 – with its award-winning WattUp® technology, which supports fast, efficient contact-based charging, as well as charging over-the-air. WattUp is a scalable, RF-based wireless charging technology that offers substantial improvements in contact-based charging efficiency, foreign object detection, orientation freedom and thermal performance compared to older, coil-based charging technologies. The technology can be designed into many different sized

electronic devices for the home and office, as well as the medical, industrial, retail and automotive industries, and it ensures interoperability across products. As a systems solutions company, Energous develops silicon-based wireless power transfer (WPT) technologies and customizable reference designs. These include innovative silicon chips, antennas and software, for a large variety of applications, such as smartphones, fitness trackers, hearables, medical sensors and more. Energous received the world's first FCC Part 18 certification for at-a-distance wireless charging, and the company has more than 150 awarded patents/allowed applications for its WattUp wireless charging technology to-date. For more information, please visit <u>Energous.com</u>.

Safe Harbor Statement

This press release contains forward-looking statements that describe our future plans and expectations. These statements generally use terms such as "believe," "expect," "may," "will," "should," "could," "seek," "intend," "plan," "estimate," "anticipate" or similar terms. Examples of our forward-looking statements in this release include our statements about FCC certification of our technology, regulatory approvals internationally, and customer releases of products utilizing our technology. Our forward-looking statements speak only as of this date; they are based on current expectations and we undertake no duty to update them. Factors that could cause actual results to differ from what we expect include: uncertain timing of necessary regulatory approvals; timing of customer product development and market success of customer products; our dependence on distribution partners; and intense industry competition. We urge you to consider those factors, and the other risks and uncertainties described in our most recent annual report on Form 10-K and subsequent quarterly reports on Form 10-Q, in evaluating our forward-looking statements.

-- Financial Tables Follow -

		As of		
	September 30, 2018		December 31, 2017	
ASSETS				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	28,551,870	\$	12,795,254
Accounts receivable		208,773		-
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		528,626		1,026,310
Prepaid rent, current		76,864		80,784
Total current assets		29,366,133		13,902,348
Property and equipment, net		1,154,996		1,413,917
Prepaid rent, non-current		-		56,668
Other assets		125,060		32,512
Total assets	\$	30,646,189	\$	15,405,445
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Current liabilities:	r.	1 010 000	ď	2.024.000
Accounts payable	\$	1,819,968	\$	2,024,690
Accrued expenses		1,918,693		1,622,025
Deferred revenue		14,500		2.646.545
Total current liabilities		3,753,161		3,646,715
Commitments and contingencies				
Stockholders' equity:				
Preferred Stock, \$0.00001 par value, 10,000,000 shares authorized at September 30, 2018 and				
December 31, 2017; no shares issued or outstanding.		_		_
Common Stock, \$0.00001 par value, 50,000,000 shares authorized at				
September 30, 2018 and				
December 31, 2017; 26,059,350 and 22,584,588 shares issued and				
outstanding at				
September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, respectively.		259		225
Additional paid-in capital		239,181,337		185,659,954
Accumulated deficit		(212,288,568)		(173,901,449)
Total stockholders' equity	_	26,893,028		11,758,730
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	30,646,189	\$	15,405,445

	Energous Corporation Reports Second Quarter 2018 Financial Results
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	 2018		2017		2018		2017
Revenue	\$ 228,000	\$	250,000	\$	458,773	\$	1,124,874
Operating expenses:							
Research and development	8,442,698		8,743,434		24,804,224		25,788,621
Sales and marketing	1,546,227		1,141,852		4,620,760		3,924,617
General and administrative	 2,891,036		3,116,337		9,439,279		9,560,651
Total operating expenses	 12,879,961		13,001,623		38,864,263		39,273,889
Loss from operations	(12,651,961)		(12,751,623)		(38,405,490)		(38,149,015)
Other income (expense):							
Loss on sales of property and equipment,							
net	-		-		-		(726)
Interest income	 6,670		3,375		18,371		9,343
Total	 6,670		3,375		18,371		8,617
Net loss	\$ (12,645,291)	\$	(12,748,248)	\$	(38,387,119)	\$	(38,140,398)
Basic and diluted net loss per common share	\$ (0.49)	\$	(0.58)	\$	(1.50)	\$	(1.81)
Weighted average shares outstanding, basic and diluted	 25,742,171		21,958,729		25,519,868		21,034,391
	For the Three Months Ended September 30,				For the Nine Months Ended September 30,		
	 2018		2017		2018		2017
Net loss (GAAP) Add (subtract) the following items:	\$ (12,645,291)	\$	(12,748,248)	\$	(38,387,119)	\$	(38,140,398)
Interest income	(6,670)		(3,375)		(18,371)		(9,343)
Income taxes	-		-		-		-
Depreciation and amortization	245,899		317,411		820,714		999,396
Stock-based compensation	3,852,656		4,568,716		12,804,744		12,472,870
Adjusted EBITDA (non-GAAP)	\$ (8,553,406)	\$	(7,865,496)	\$	(24,780,032)	\$	(24,677,475)

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