

Practice Areas at Murphy Desmond

- Administrative/Regulatory Law and Government Relations
- Banking and Financial Services
- Business Law
- Creditors' Rights, Business Bankruptcy and Commercial Litigation
- Criminal Defense
- Defense of Licensed Professionals
- Divorce and Family Law
- Employment and Labor Law
- Eminent Domain
- Estate Planning and Probate
- Immigration (Business and Family)
- Insurance Defense
- Intellectual Property
- Litigation and Mediation
- OWI / DWI
- Municipal Law
- Real Estate, Land Use and Construction Law
- Securities Law
- Tax Law and Tax Planning

Bilingual Legal Services

Contact Murphy Desmond

For a consultation, call our office or email us to discuss your collection matters. Let Murphy Desmond help recover the debts owed to you in a vigorous, efficient and thorough manner.

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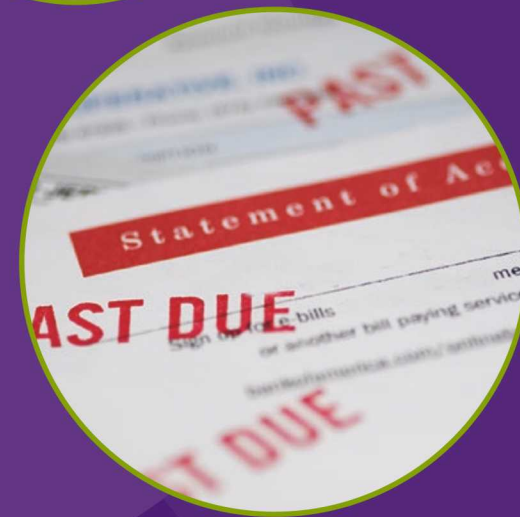
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Collection Law in Wisconsin

Assisting businesses with
debt collection, delinquent
accounts receivable and loans.



We Wrote the Book on Wisconsin Collection Law.

If customers owe you money, we can help. Our lawyers assist creditors and collection agencies with delinquent accounts through pre-lawsuit measures and litigation. We provide legal services in all phases of debt collection, including judgment enforcement or bankruptcy.

Our collection lawyers are part of an award-winning creditors' rights team. We literally wrote the book, *Wisconsin Collection Law* (Thomson West, 2nd Edition), and continue to write annual supplements.

In addition to debt collection, our team counsels creditors regarding preventative measures, such as establishing effective credit and collection policies. We have extensive experience in numerous industries and service companies affected by delinquent accounts receivable or loans, including:

- Lenders
- Manufacturers
- Insurers
- Transporters
- Contractors
- Professional service providers
- Distributors
- Suppliers
- Financial service providers
- Agribusinesses
- Wholesalers
- Retailers
- Technology providers
- Landlords and management companies
- Communications
- Healthcare

**We know collection law.
We teach it. We excel at it.
We literally wrote the book on it.**

Our Collection Services Include:

- Business-to-business debt collection
- Business-to-consumer collection
- Counsel on use of credit applications
- Counsel on the Wisconsin Consumer Act (application, compliance, breach and penalties)
- Collecting debt without litigation
- Drafting promissory notes, mortgages, security agreements, collateral pledge agreements, assignments, settlement agreements and similar documents
- Creditor representation in litigation
- Defense of counterclaims
- Fair Debt Collection Practices Act defense
- Replevin actions
- Personal property/security interest foreclosures
- Mortgage/land contract foreclosures
- Loan and debt workouts/forbearance agreements
- Preservation and enforcement of construction/mechanics and other lien rights and claims
- Enforcement of judgments through execution, garnishment, attachment, receivership, contempt and turnover orders
- State court receiverships
- Bankruptcy representation

Our Collection Attorneys

Kristin K. Beilke



Kristin Beilke focuses on collections and bankruptcy matters, representing creditors and debtors in both federal and state courts. She has been a Wisconsin State Bar panel speaker on the nuts and bolts of collections, and is an author of supplements to the State Bar publication,

Collections and Bankruptcy in Wisconsin. Kristin is experienced in civil litigation, including insolvency, foreclosure, collections, and preferential and fraudulent transfers.

Robert A. Pasch



Bob Pasch has handled numerous collection lawsuits for creditors, including lenders, in state and federal courts and has worked with major nationwide commercial and retail collection agencies. He has represented insurers, law firms and collection agencies in Fair Debt Collection

Practices Act litigation. Bob's book, *Wisconsin Collection Law*, is the leading comprehensive publication on the subject. He is included on lists for Best Lawyers® in America, including Lawyers of the Year-Madison, Wisconsin Super Lawyers®, and rated AV by Martindale-Hubbell®.

Jane F. (Ginger) Zimmerman



Ginger Zimmerman represents creditors, receivers, and Trustees in bankruptcies, collections, foreclosures, and Wisconsin Chapter 128 cases. She co-authored *Collections and Bankruptcy in Wisconsin* (2nd Edition) and annual supplements. Ginger is listed in Best Lawyers® in

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