

SUPREME COURT OF WISCONSIN
OFFICE OF LAWYER REGULATION

Public Reprimand With Consent

18-OLR-7

**Raymond M. Clark,
Attorney at Law**

Raymond M. Clark is a Wisconsin-licensed, emeritus status attorney. His address of record is in Pewaukee, Wisconsin.

Clark is a long-time member of a Bible study and Christian fellowship group based in Milwaukee County. Clark formerly served as treasurer for the group. In that capacity, Clark had signature authority on an account for the group and possessed a debit card attached to the account. In the approximate period of January 2009 to January 2016, Clark used the debit card to make purchases for his personal benefit. He did this without the knowledge or permission of the group. Clark's misuse of the group's funds was discovered by the current treasurer of the group. Clark was removed as treasurer, his signature authority on the account was rescinded, and he no longer enjoys possession of a debit card belonging to the group. Although it may not reflect the total amount of funds misused, the group agreed to a restitution amount of \$6,000, which Clark has paid to the group.

By his use of the group's funds for his personal benefit, without the knowledge or permission of the group, Clark violated SCR 20:8.4(c), which states, "It is professional misconduct for a lawyer to . . . engage in conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit or misrepresentation."

Clark received a four-month disciplinary suspension in 2016.

In accordance with SCR 22.09(3), Attorney Raymond M. Clark is hereby publicly reprimanded.

Dated this 30th day of August, 2018.

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/s/
Robert E. Kinney, Referee