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Here is another possible location for the Farmers Market. A suggestion was made by a local business owner, Sonia over at Albany Hill Gas. The street is Washington Avenue between Kains Avenue and San Pablo Avenue.

KAINS AVE.

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EMPT
LOT

ANDRONICO'S
OFFICE

JAY VEE
LIQUORS

SIDEWALK

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WASHINGTON AVE.

SIDEWALK

MECHANICS
BANK
PARKING LOT

DRIVE-THRU

SIDEWALK

MECHANICS BANK

SIDEWALK

SAN PABLO AVE.



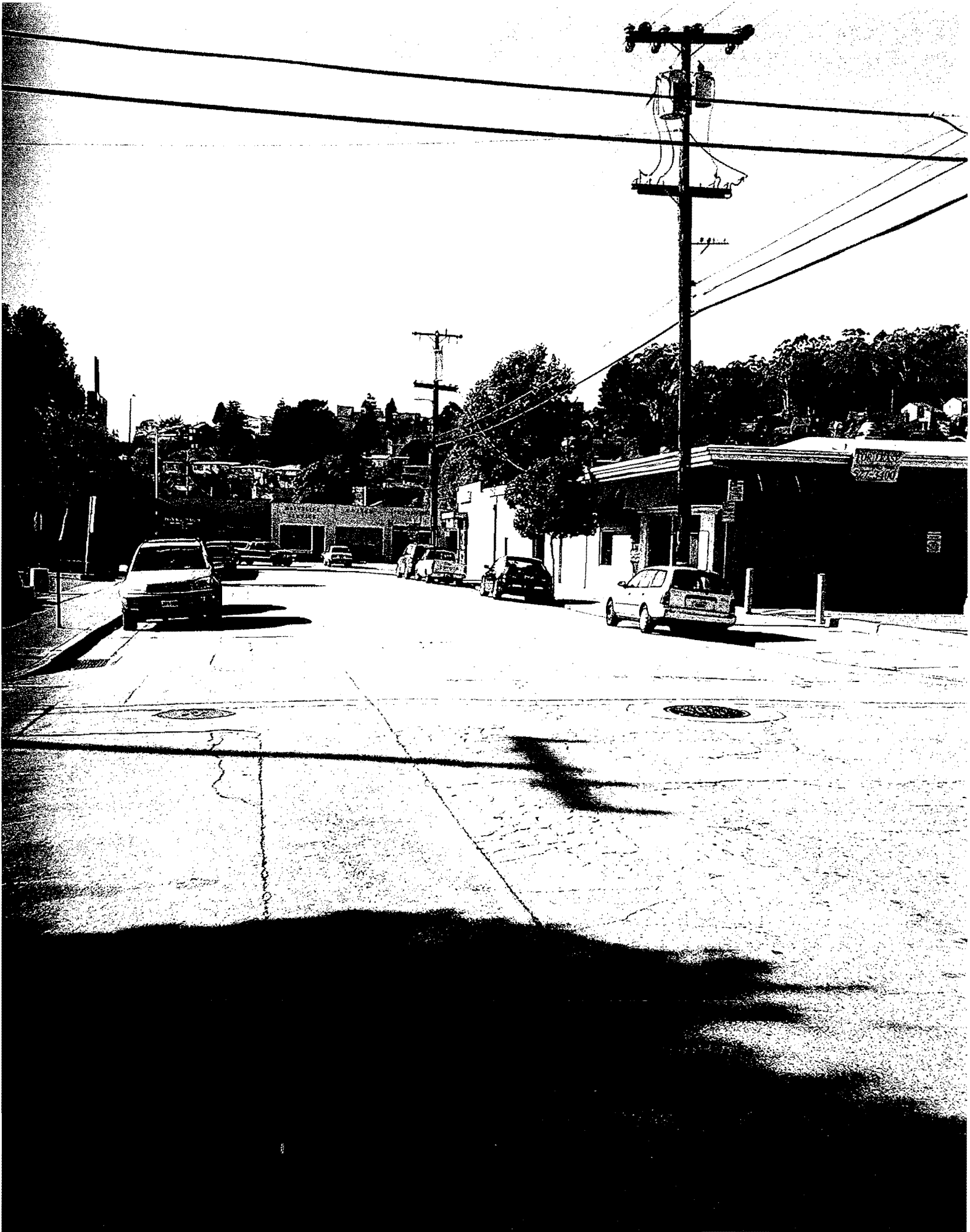
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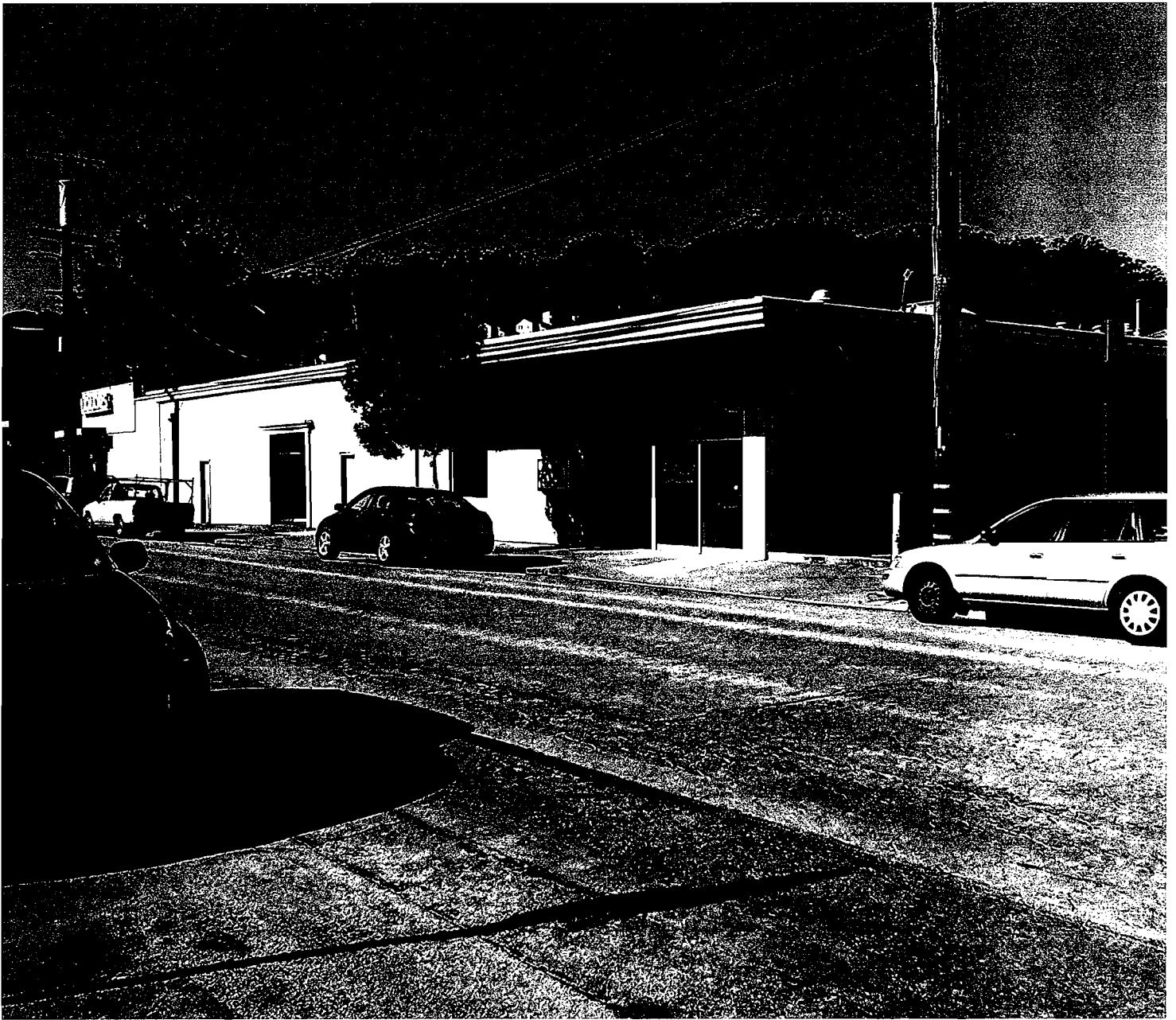
Washington ; San Pablo Avenue.

2 Businesses directly on this street:

- Mechanics Bank
- Andronico's office

(Both have large, mostly empty parking lots adjacent to them.)





Only Andronico's business office here on
North side of Washington. There is also an
empty lot to the right.



View of empty lot next to Andronico's
office. (Washington Ave between Huins;
San Pablo Ave.)



again, North side of Washington Ave.
(between Mains & San Pablo Ave.)

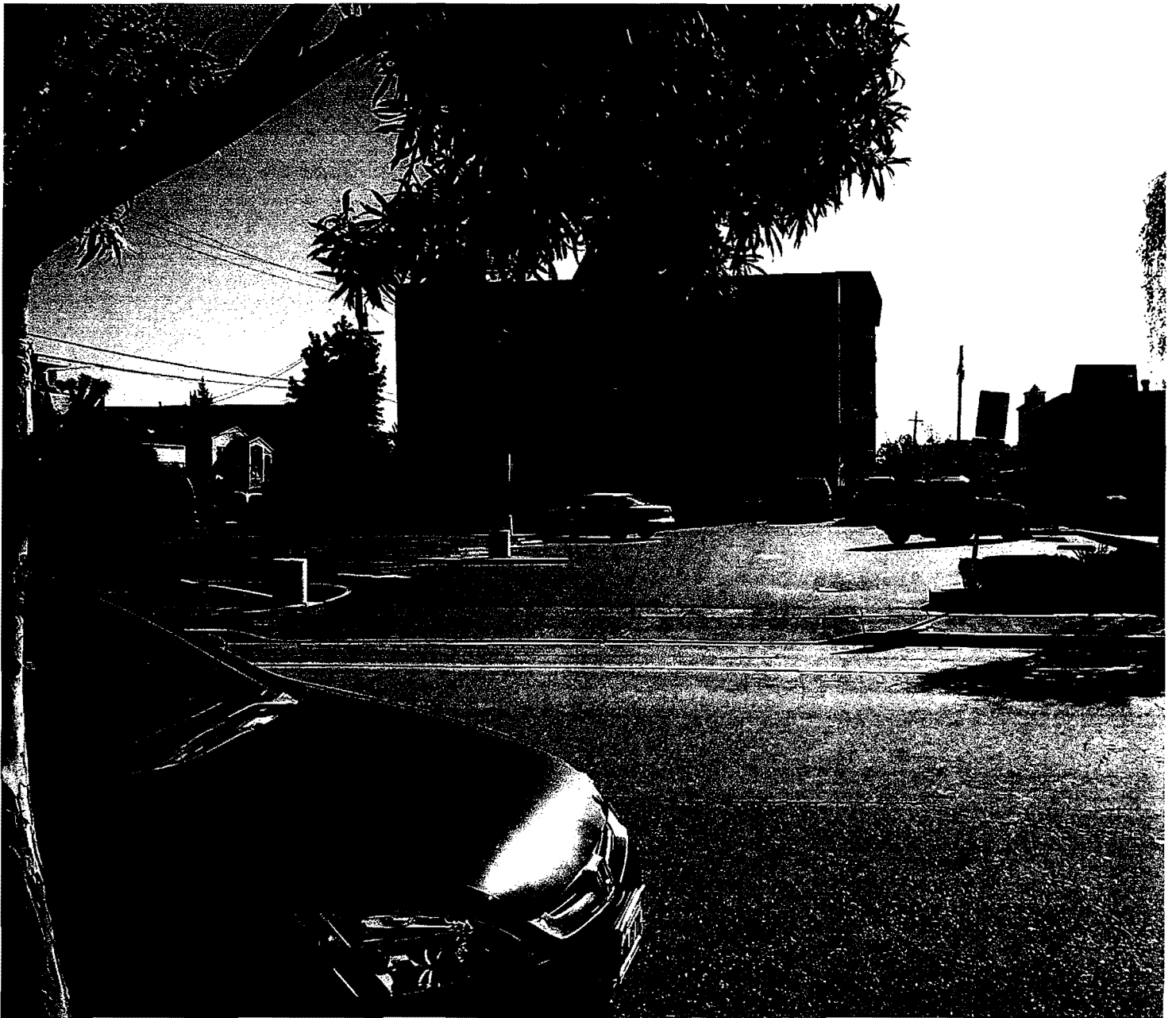


South side of Washington Ave., between
Main St. ; San Pablo Ave.

(Mechanics Bank)



Again,
South side of Washington Ave.
(Mechanics Bank parking lot.)
Between Hains St.; San Pablo Ave.



Same lot, mechanics Bank on
Washington Ave.



Where Washington Ave ; San Pablo Ave meet.



Busy Commuter traffic with visibility to
Washington Ave.

Potential Sites for the Farmers Market

- 1) Ocean View Park Parking Lot—off of Buchanan Street next to the soccer/sports field. It is not so far away and there is some space in that area.
- 2) Jackson Street going south from Buchanan Street. This one may not work as it is next to a school.
- 3) the Mechanix Bank Parking Lot—off of Washington Street east of San Pablo. One of the board members mentioned this idea at the meeting.
- 4) the block of Washington to the east of San Pablo, and adjacent to the Mechanix Bank.
- 5) The park at the Albany Veteran's Memorial Building at 1325 Portland Ave.
- 6) On the Key Route—maybe close to Portland Ave. This was also mentioned in the earlier meeting.

Of these suggestions, I think Ocean View Park, the park at the Albany Veteran's Memorial Building, and along the Key Route are the ideas with the most promise.