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Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Astoria propose to order the improvement of Commercial street from the east line of Seventeenth street to the west line of Twenty-third street, and Twenty-third street from the north line of Commercial street to Exchange street in that part of the City of Astoria as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively, said improvement to be known and designated as the "Commercial Street Extension Improvement."

Said improvement to consist of driving piles on the north 40 feet of Commercial street and on the west 40 feet of Twenty-third street, to the established grade, four piles in each bent, with bent centers 12½ feet apart, and placing thereon caps and stringers, and planking the same to the width of 40 feet and to the established grade with new and sound fir plank 4x12 inches, and by building sidewalks on the north side of Commercial street and on the west side of Twenty-third street, twelve feet wide of fir plank 2x8 inches, and building railings on both sides thereof, in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor and in accordance with ordinance No. 1901, entitled, "An ordinance in relation to the improvement of streets." Said improvement to be made at the expense of the lands abutting upon and adjacent to, or otherwise benefited thereby as required by the charter of the City of Astoria.

The lands and premises which the special assessment shall be levied to defray the cost of such improvment and the district embraced therein and the lots, blocks and parcels of land to be assessed shall be known and designated as the Commercial Street Extension Improvement District No. 24. Said district shall contain all the lots, blocks and parcels of land embraced in the following boundaries: :

Beginning at a point on the east line of Seventeenth street, 62½ feet northerly from the north line of Duane street; thence easterly and parallel with Duane street through the center of blocks 132, 131, 130, 129, 128, and 127, to the east line of lot of lot 4 of block 127; thence southerly along the east line of lot 4, block 127, and lot 4, of block 126, to the southeast corner of lot 4, block 126; thence easterly along the north line of Exchange street to a point where the north line of Exchange street if produced intersects the east line of Twenty-third street; thence northerly to the southwest corner of lot 6, block 144; thence easterly through the center line of block 144 to the southeast corner of lot 3, block 144; thence northwesterly along the east line of lot 3, block 144, one hundred and fifty feet; thence northerly parallel to the east line of Twenty-third street to the Pier Head Line; thence westerly along the Pier Head Line to a point of intersection on the east line of Seventeenth street if extended; thence southerly along the east line of Seventeeth street if extended to the place of beginning.

Estimates of the expense of such improvement and the plans and specifications therefor and map of the locality to be improved will be deposited in the office of the Auditor and Police Judge for public examination before such improvement is undertaken; that at the next meeting of the common council after the final publication of this notice of improvement, to-wit—on Friday, December 3, 1897, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., of said day, the common council will consider any objections to such improvement being made, and if a remonstrance against such improvement, signed by the persons owning more than one-half of the property to be assessed in such district as described herein, and in which special assessment is to be levied, shall be filed with the Auditor and Police Judge before the said regular meeting of the Common Council, no such work or improvement will be ordered except by the two-thirds vote of all the members of the Common Council elect.

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