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Words

警察
jǐngchá police / police officer

> 警察会来吗?
> Jǐngchá huì lái ma?
> Will the police come?

公共
gōnggòng public / common / communal

> 公园里的公共椅子坏了。
> Gōngyuán lǐ de gōnggòng yǐzi huàile.
> The public bench in the park is broken.

交通
jiāotōng traffic / transportation / to be connected / communications / liaison / to associate with / to collude with

> 事故耽误了交通。
> Shìgù dānwule jiāotōng.
> The accident held up traffic.

厕所 廁所
cèsuǒ toilet / lavatory

> 你是个厕所!
> Nǐ shì gè cèsuǒ!
> You are a toilet!

规定 規定
guīdìng to stipulate / to specify / to prescribe / to fix (a price) / to set (a quota) / regulations / rules / provisions / stipulations

> 办卡有什么规定吗?
> Bàn kǎ yǒu shénme guīdìng ma?
> Are there any rules for getting a card?

部门 部門
bùmén department / branch / section / division

> 他负责这个部门。
> Tā fùzé zhège bùmén.
> He's in charge of the department.

基础 基礎
jīchǔ base / foundation / basis / basic / fundamental

> 数学是所有科学的基础。
> Shùxué shì suǒyǒu kēxué de jīchǔ.
> Mathematics are the foundation of all sciences.

管理
guǎnlǐ management / administration / to supervise / to manage / to administer

> 网站的管理者很忙。
> Wǎngzhàn de guǎnlǐzhě hěn máng.
> The website manager is very busy.

停车场 停車場
tíngchēchǎng parking lot / car park

> 停车场是免费的。
> Tíngchēchǎng shì miǎnfèi de.
> The parking lot is free of charge.

博物馆 博物館
bówùguǎn museum

> 博物馆在哪里?
> Bówùguǎn zài nǎlǐ?
> Where is the museum?

邮局 郵局
yóujú post office

> 邮局在哪儿?
> Yóujú zài nǎr?
> Where is the post office?

设施 設施
shèshī facilities / installation

> 小区里有健身设施吗?
> Xiǎoqū lǐ yǒu jiànshēn shèshī ma?
> Are there any fitness facilities in the residential complex?

政府
zhèngfǔ government

> 政府的应对很及时。
> Zhèngfǔ de yìngduì hěn jíshí.
> The government's response was very timely.

社区 社區
shèqū community / neighborhood

> 社区是安静的。
> Shèqū shì ānjìng de.
> The neighborhood was silent.

广场 廣場
guǎngchǎng public square / plaza

> 我要去广场。
> Wǒ yào qù guǎngchǎng.
> I'm going to the square.

建设 建設
jiànshè to build / to construct / to establish / to develop / to institute

> 城市建设为什么要以人为本?
> Chéngshì jiànshè wèishénme yào yǐrénwéiběn?
> Why should urban development be people-oriented?

公共场所 公共場所
gōnggòngchǎngsuǒ public place

> 公共场所不能大声打电话。
> Gōnggòngchǎngsuǒ bùnéng dàshēng dǎdiànhuà.
> You shouldn't make loud phone calls in public places.

机构 機構
jīgòu mechanism / structure / organization / agency / institution

> 她在一家旅游机构工作。
> Tā zài yìjiā lǚyóu jīgòu gōngzuò.
> She works at a travel agency.

组织 組織
zǔzhī organization / to organize / tissue / weave

> 谁组织了这次会议?
> Shéi zǔzhīle zhècì huìyì?
> Who organized that meeting?

工程
gōngchéng engineering / an engineering project / project / undertaking

> 新桥工程什么时候完成?
> Xīn qiáo gōngchéng shénme shíhou wánchéng?
> When will the new bridge project be finished?

改善
gǎishàn to make better / to improve

> 它有改善了。
> Tā yǒu gǎishànle.
> It's improved.

维修 維修
wéixiū maintenance (of equipment) / to protect and maintain

> 空调需要维修了。
> Kōngtiáo xūyào wéixiūle.
> The air conditioner needs servicing.

居民
jūmín resident / inhabitant

> 居民走后，房子就空了。
> Jūmín zǒu hòu, fángzi jiù kōng le.
> After the residents leave, the house is empty.

领导 領導
lǐngdǎo leader / leadership / to lead / lead / leading

> 谢谢你的领导。
> Xièxie nǐ de lǐngdǎo.
> Thank you for your leadership.

设立 設立
shèlì to set up / to establish

> 学校设立了新的奖学金。
> Xuéxiào shèlìle xīn de jiǎngxuéjīn.
> The school has set up a new scholarship.

派出所
pàichūsuǒ local police station

> 他把钱包交到了派出所。
> Tā bǎ qiánbāo jiāo dàole pàichūsuǒ.
> He handed the wallet in at the police station.

设备 設備
shèbèi equipment / facilities / installations

> 这是台旧设备。
> Zhè shì tái jiù shèbèi.
> This is an old device.

开通 開通
kāitōng to open (a new road or railway line) / to set up (a hotline) / to launch (a service) / to subscribe to (a members-only service)
kāitong open-minded

> 你的会员开通了吗?
> Nǐ de huìyuán kāitōngle ma?
> Have you activated your membership yet?

服务台
fúwùtái service desk / information desk / reception desk / service desk / information desk / reception desk

> 服务台的人帮我叫了车。
> Fúwùtái de rén bāng wǒ jiàole chē.
> The person at the reception desk called a car for me.

公交
gōngjiāo public transportation / mass transit

> 我每天坐公交去上班。
> Wǒ měitiān zuò gōngjiāo qù shàngbān.
> I take the bus to work every day.

公交站
gōngjiāozhàn public transport station

> 公交站就在学校门口。
> Gōngjiāozhàn jiù zài xuéxiào ménkǒu.
> The bus stop is right at the school gate.

基础设施 基礎設施
jīchǔshèshī infrastructure

> 公路和桥都是基础设施。
> Gōnglù hé qiáo dōu shì jīchǔshèshī.
> Roads and bridges are both infrastructure.

市政
shìzhèng municipal administration

消防
xiāofáng firefighting / fire control

> 这栋楼的消防检查通过了吗?
> Zhè dòng lóu de xiāofáng jiǎnchá tōngguò le ma?
> Did this building pass its fire control inspection?

供应 供應

gōngyìng to supply / to provide (goods, services etc)

> 粮食供应十分充足。
> Liángshi gōngyìng shífēn chōngzú.
> There is an abundant supply of foodstuffs.

公民

gōngmín citizen

> 我是世界公民。
> Wǒ shì shìjiè gōngmín.
> I'm a citizen of the world.

公益

gōngyì public good / public welfare / public interest

> 你愿意参加公益广告的拍摄吗?
> Nǐ yuànyì cānjiā gōngyì guǎnggào de pāishè ma?
> Would you like to take part in filming a public service ad?

管道

guǎndào tubing / pipeline / channel / means

> 管道里流的不是水，是人血。
> Guǎndào lǐ liú de bú shì shuǐ, shì rén xuè.
> It wasn't water flowing through the pipes, but human blood.

污水

wūshuǐ sewage

> 工厂不能随便排放污水。
> Gōngchǎng bùnéng suíbiàn páifàng wūshuǐ.
> Factories must not discharge waste water as they please.

配套

pèitào to form a complete set / compatible / matching / complementary

> 新小区的配套设施很齐全。
> Xīn xiǎoqū de pèitào shèshī hěn qíquán.
> The new neighborhood has a full range of supporting facilities.

人行道

rénxíngdào sidewalk

> 在人行道上走。
> Zài rénxíngdào shàng zǒu.
> Walk on the pavement.

政策

zhèngcè policy

> 工作政策是个失败。
> Gōngzuò zhèngcè shì gè shībài.
> The employment policy is a failure.

规划 規劃

guīhuà to draw up a plan / to map out a program / a plan / a program

> 他对自己的未来有清楚的规划。
> Tā duì zìjǐ de wèilái yǒu qīngchu de guīhuà.
> He has a clear plan for his future.

绿化 綠化

lǜhuà to make green with plants / to reforest / Islamization

> 马路两边的绿化真漂亮!
> Mǎlù liǎngbian de lǜhuà zhēn piàoliang!
> The plantings along both sides of the road are really beautiful!