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COMMUNITY

RESIDENTIAL/METROPOLITAN/URBANIZATION

Idioms

AS SAFE AS HOUSES

BRICK BY BRICK (BUILDING SOMETHING GRADUALLY)

THE ROOF OVER YOUR HEAD

COME HOME TO ROOST (CONSEQUENCES RETURNING)

PAINT THE TOWN RED (CELEBRATE EXUBERANTLY)

HOME SWEET HOME/ THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME

PUT DOWN ROOTS

MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME

HOME IS WHERE THE HEART IS

Phrasal Verbs

SETTLE DOWN / SETTLE IN / LAY DOWN ROOTS

MOVE IN/OUT

GROW UP / BRING UP (IN A SPECIFIC AREA)

LOOK AROUND

TAKE DOWN / PUT UP (CONSTRUCTION)

RUN DOWN (DETERIORATION)

POP INTO (A PLACE BRIEFLY)

SPRUCE UP (REVITALIZE OR CLEAN UP AN AREA)

TAKE PRIDE IN (YOUR HOMETOWN)

Expressions

THE HEART OF THE CITY

A STONE'S THROW AWAY

IN THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE

BURSTING WITH LIFE

OFF THE BEATEN TRACK

A HIVE/HUB OF ACTIVITY

CLOSE-KNIT COMMUNITY

RIGHT ON MY DOORSTEP

STEEPED IN HISTORY

NESTLED IN THE COUNTRYSIDE

BREATHTAKING VISTAS

OFF THE GRID