**Unit VII. Cities and Urban Land Use—Basic Vocabulary and Concepts**

Agglomeration

*Barriadas*

Bid-rent theory

Blockbusting

CBD (central business district)

Census tract

Centrality

Centralization

Central-place theory

Christaller, Walter

City

Cityscapes

Colonial city

Commercialization

Commuter zone

Concentric zone model

Counterurbanization

Decentralization

Deindustrialization

Early cities

Economic base (basic/nonbasic)

Edge city

Emerging cities

Employment structure

Entrepôt

Ethnic neighborhood

Favela

Female-headed household

Festival landscape

Gateway city

Gender

Gentrification

Ghetto

Globalization

Great cities

High-tech corridors

Hinterland

Hydraulic civilization

Indigenous city

In-filling

Informal sector

Infrastructure

Inner city

Invasion and succession

Lateral commuting

Medieval cities

Megacities

Megalopolis/conurbation

Metropolitan area

Multiple nuclei model

Multiplier effect

Neighborhood

Office park

Peak land value intersection

Planned communities

Postindustrial city

Postmodern urban landscape

Primate city

Racial steering

Rank-size rule

Redlining

Restrictive covenants

Sector model

Segregation

Settlement form (nucleated, dispersed, elongated)

Shopping mall

Site/situation

Slum

Social structure

Specialization

Squatter settlement

Street pattern (grid, dendritic; access, control)

Suburb

Suburbanization

Symbolic landscape

Tenement

Threshold/Range

Town

Underclass

Underemployment

Urban growth rate

Urban function

Urban hearth area

Urban heat island

Urban hierarchy

Urban hydrology

Urban morphology

Urbanization

Urbanized population

World city

Zone in transition

Zoning