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<b>airway</b>	A commercial enterprise that provides scheduled flights for passengers. <i>He kept the man's <b>airway</b> clear and blood circulating.</i>
<b>awash</b>	Level with the surface of water so that it just washes over. <i>The city was <b>awash</b> with journalists.</i>
<b>capsize</b>	Cause (a boat) to overturn. <i>The craft <b>capsized</b> in heavy seas.</i>
<b>choke</b>	Cause a person or animal to choke. <i>She <b>choked</b> with emotion when she spoke about her deceased husband.</i>
<b>clutter</b>	An untidy state. <i>The attic is full of <b>clutter</b>.</i>
<b>deluge</b>	The biblical Flood (recorded in Genesis 6–8). <i>A <b>deluge</b> of rain hit the plains.</i>
<b>dive</b>	Swim under water. <i>He got into a fight in some <b>dive</b>.</i>
<b>garrote</b>	An instrument of execution for execution by strangulation.
<b>muffle</b>	Cover or wrap up (a source of sound) to reduce its loudness. <i>The soft beat of a <b>muffled</b> drum.</i>
<b>overwhelm</b>	Have a strong emotional effect on. <i>Floodwaters <b>overwhelmed</b> hundreds of houses.</i>
<b>plunge</b>	Suffer a rapid decrease in value. <i>He <b>plunged</b> his hands into his pockets.</i>
<b>raft</b>	Travel on or as if on a raft. <i><b>Raft</b> these logs.</i>
<b>scuba</b>	A device trade name Aqua Lung that lets divers breathe under water scuba is an acronym for self contained underwater breathing apparatus. <i>I want to do some <b>scuba</b>.</i>

<b>sea</b>	Used to refer to waves as opposed to calm sea. <i>There was still some <b>sea</b> running.</i>
<b>sink</b>	Cause to sink. <i>They agreed to <b>sink</b> their differences.</i>
<b>smother</b>	Cover someone or something entirely with. <i>The goalkeeper was able to <b>smother</b> the ball.</i>
<b>springboard</b>	A beginning from which an enterprise is launched. <i>An economic plan that may be the <b>springboard</b> for recovery.</i>
<b>stifle</b>	Conceal or hide. <i>She <b>stifled</b> a giggle.</i>
<b>strangle</b>	Prevent the progress or free movement of. <i>She <b>strangled</b> a sob.</i>
<b>submerge</b>	Descend below the surface of an area of water. <i>Houses had been flooded and cars <b>submerged</b>.</i>
<b>suffocate</b>	Die or cause to die from lack of air or inability to breathe. <i>The child <b>suffocated</b> under the pillow.</i>
<b>suffocation</b>	The condition of being deprived of oxygen (as by having breathing stopped). <i><b>Suffocation</b> by smoke inhalation.</i>
<b>sunken</b>	Having a sunken area. <i>Hunger gave their faces a <b>sunken</b> look.</i>
<b>surf</b>	A spell of surfing. <i>He went for an early <b>surf</b>.</i>
<b>surfing</b>	The sport of riding a surfboard toward the shore on the crest of a wave. <i>Why share your internet connection with people <b>surfing</b> and chatting.</i>
<b>swim</b>	The act of swimming. <i>A big fish was <b>swimming</b> in the tank.</i>
<b>swimmer</b>	A person who travels through the water by swimming. <i>The lab technician examining your sample takes a close look at how many of your <b>swimmers</b> are normally shaped.</i>
<b>throttle</b>	A pedal that controls the throttle valve. <i>The pitch of the engine fell as the driver <b>throttled</b> back.</i>
<b>underwater</b>	Submerged; flooded. <i>They learn to navigate <b>underwater</b> at night.</i>
<b>welter</b>	A state of general disorder. <i>The shipwrecked survivors <b>weltered</b> in the sea for hours.</i>

