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The event was canceled (**on the one hand / because of / therefore**) heavy rain and strong winds that made it unsafe for everyone involved. (**Consequently / Due to / Because of**) the fact that the organizers had prepared for bad weather in advance, they had backup plans ready, but the severity of the storm exceeded their expectations. (**Due to / On the one hand / Therefore**), many attendees were disappointed because they had been looking forward to the event for weeks. (**As a result / On the one hand / Because of**) the poor weather conditions, the venue remained closed for the entire day, preventing any activities from taking place. (**Because of / As a result / On the one hand**), the organizers decided to reschedule the event for next month to ensure everyone's safety and enjoyment. (**Due to / Consequently / On the one hand**), some people were happy about the delay because it gave them more time to prepare and rearrange their schedules, (**therefore / on the other hand / because of**), others were frustrated because they had already made travel plans and had to change them at the last minute.