



WEEK 5 WAIVERS

LOOKING FOR PLAYERS ON LESS THAN 50% OF ROSTERS IN YAHOO

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JALEEL MCCLAUGHLIN (RB) - DEN (9)

With the injury to Javonte Williams, it seems like McLaughlin has surpassed Samaje Perine as the backup and looked impressive with the limited touches he saw last week. Granted, he will face a better defense this week, but Perine was rostered on many teams before the season started. If McLaughlin is the actual 1B behind Williams, he's an immediate pickup as an RB3/flex option with Williams out. I wouldn't pay more than 10% since this is a handcuff situation.

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JAMESON WILLIAMS (WR) - DET (9)

I expect him to be rostered in many leagues. I guess if you don't have an IR spot, then he would be available. We remember what Josh Reynolds has been doing this season (averaging six targets, surpassing 60 yards every game played). I project that Williams will play that role within the offense and potentially be the clear 2nd/3rd option with Sam Laporta. It won't be immediate, but in the second half of the season, he has the upside to be a WR3 on any team.

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MICHAEL WILSON (WR) - AZ (14)

If you're in deeper leagues, he's a rookie worth watching if you missed out on Tank Dell. His targets haven't been impressive, but he's been involved with each week and shows the potential to be a consistent part of the offense. Last week, he had his best game of the season, while Marquise Brown still performed well. This means there's a chance two WRs can be fantasy-relevant with Joshua Dobbs. I wouldn't invest more than a dollar unless I was in a full PPR league and needed a WR5.

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C.J. STROUD (QB) - HOU (7)

Normally, I don't do QBs, but the fact he fits my criteria after three straight performances of surpassing 275 passing yards and throwing two touchdowns, and he's not your QB2? Facing an ATL defense, he's a solid bye-week replacement if you have Herbert/Cousins and maybe worth starting over names like Prescott or Lawrence. Unless you have two top-12 QBs, he's a solid pickup as a depth piece or potential starter in favorable matchups.

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