- Cardinals turnover differential on the road over the last two seasons (2021-22). That total leads the NFL. The next-best total is +12. Arizona has committed an NFL-low 10 turnovers in 14 road games during that
- Cardinals record on the road vs. opponents from the AFC dating back to last season. Arizona is 5-1 on the road vs. the AFC over the last three seasons (2020-22).
  - Combined tackles for LBs **Zaven Collins** and **Isaiah Simmons** in 2022. The duo has also combined for 5.0 sacks, 3 INTs (2 returned for TDs), 12 tackles for loss, 10 passes defensed, 7 QB hits, 3 forced fumbles and 1 fumble recovery this season.
    - Different starting O-Line combinations for the Cardinals this season. Arizona has started six different combinations along the O-Line in the last seven games. The Cardinals have had 12 different players start at least one game on the O-Line in 2022 (2<sup>nd</sup> most in NFL behind the Rams-14).



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- Arizona would have its first-ever road win against the Broncos (currently winless in five trips to Denver).
- The Cardinals would have more road wins in the last three seasons (16) than in any other three-year stretch in franchise history.
- The Cardinals would improve to 4-2 on the road in 2022. Arizona would also improve to 12-3 on the road dating back to last season and 16-7 on the road dating back to 2020.

# MILESTONES WITHIN REACH...

## **RB JAMES CONNER**

- With a TD (of any kind), Conner would have at least one TD in five conseuctive games. That would tie for the fourth-longest streak in franchise history.
- With a TD (of any kind), Conner would have 25 TDs in 26 games with Arizona. That would tie David Johnson for the most in franchise history in a player's first 26 games with the team.
- With 2 TDs (of any kind), Conner would have seven TDs in the last five games after scoring one TD in his first six games played this season.
- With 2 rushing TDs, Conner would have multiple rushing TDs for the 7<sup>th</sup> time as a member of the Cardinals. In franchise history only David Johnson (8) would have more games with multiple rushing TDs.

#### WR DEANDRE HOPKINS

- With 1 reception, Hopkins would have at least one catch in 144 consecutive games. That would extend the longest active streak in the NFL.
- With 10 receptions, Hopkins would have 10+ receptions in four of eight games played this season. He would join Larry Fitzgerald (4 in 2017) as the only players in franchise history with at least four games of 10+ receptions in a season.
- With 100+ receiving yards, Hopkins would have 100+ yards in a game for the  $40^{th}$  time in his career and for the  $10^{th}$  time as a member of the Cardinals.
- With 100+ receiving yards, Hopkins would have 100+ yards in each of his last three games played vs. the Broncos.

#### DE J.J. WATT

- With 1.0 sack, Watt would have 7.5 sacks in 2022. It would give him more sacks in his last seven games (5.0) than he had in his first 13 games (4.5) with Arizona.
- A sack of Broncos QB Brett Rypien would make him the  $47^{\rm th}$  different QB Watt has sacked in his career. Watt has a half-sack of Broncos QB Russell Wilson.

#### **BUDDA BAKER**

With 5+ tackles, Baker would reach 100 tackles in a season for the fourth time in his career: 100 in 2018, 147 in 2019, 118 in 2020.

#### WR A.J. GREEN

- With 1 TD catch, Green would have 70 TD receptions in his career. He would join Davante Adams (85), Mike Evans (78) and teammate DeAndre Hopkins (71) as the only active players with 70+ career TD receptions.
- With 1 TD catch, Green would also have five TD receptions in eight career games vs. the Broncos.

### WR MARQUISE BROWN

With a TD reception, Brown would have 25 TD receptions for his career. It would also give him four TD catches in nine games played with the Cardinals.

### QB COLT MCCOY

With 300+ passing yards, McCoy would have as many 300-yard games in six starts with the Cardinals (2) as he had in 30 career starts over 11 seasons with the Browns, 49ers, Commanders and Giants combined (2).

#### LB MARKUS GOLDEN

With 1.0 sack, Golden would have 10.0 sacks in his last 14 road games.

# CARDS LOSE MURRAY AND MOORE TO INJURED RESERVE

With QB Kyler Murray (knee) and WR Rondale Moore (groin) being placed on injured reserve this week, the Cardinals now have 15 players on IR. <u>Only this week's opponent - the Denver Broncos (18) - has more players currently on IR.</u>

Arizona has been hit particularly hard with injuries on offense. Of the 15 players currently on injured reserve for the Cardinals, 12 are offensive players - and seven of those are starters. Those seven starters have missea a combined 36 games this season.

#### Cardinals Offensive Starters on IR Player OL Rodney Hudson OL Justin Pugh Gms Missed OL D.J. Humphries WR Rondale Moore OL Will Hernandez

TE Zach Ertz **QB Kyler Murray** 



# AMONG THE NFL'S BEST ON THE ROAD

One of the NFL's best road teams over the last few seasons, Week 15 will see the Cardinals trying to win where they never have.

The Cardinals - who own an 11-3 record on the road over the last two seasons (2021have never won at Denver during the regular season.

However, over the last few seasons the Cardinals have won nearly everywhere else.

Dating back to 2021, only the Eagles (.800) have a better winning percentage on the road than the <u>Cardinals (.786).</u>

ge (2021-22)

NFL Leaders - Road Winning Percentag				
Rnk	Team	Win%	W	Ľ
1	Philadelphia	.800	12	3
2	Arizona	.786	11	3
3	Dallas	.714	10	4
4t	Buffalo	.667	10	5
4t	Kansas City	.667	10	5
4t	New England	667	10	5



The Cardinals also hold a 15-7 road record over the last three seasons (2020-22). In that span, only Kansas City (.783) and Buffalo (.696) have a higher road winning percentage than Arizona (.682).

# **CONNER GETTING STRONGER AS THE SEASON GOES ON**

After averaging 40.8 rushing yards per contest over his first six games played this season, RB James Conner has nearly doubled that over the last four games - averaging 79.0 yards per game.

The TDs totals are way up as well. Conner had one total TD in his first six games played, compared to five TDs in the last four games.



Conner has posted his two best rushing yardage totals of the season in the last two games.

In Week 12 vs. the Chargers, he rushed for 120 yards on 25 carries (4.8 avg.). It was his first 100-yard outing as a member of the Cardinals and his first since 2020 as a member of the Steelers. Against the Patriots last week, Conner rushed for 85 yards on just 15 carries, averaging 5.7 yards per attempt.

After posting 80+ rushing yards just once in his first 23 games with the Cardinals, Conner has 85+ rushing yards in each of the last two contests.

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