Saturday 01/18/2025 LIVE Bets:

NFL: Houston Texans @ Kansas City Chiefs - 4:30pm ET

Against the spread (ATS)

Texans +8.5

Analysis:

The Houston Texans are well-positioned to cover the +8.5 spread against the Kansas City Chiefs in tomorrow's Divisional Round playoff game. Rookie quarterback C.J. Stroud has led a balanced Texans offense, throwing for over 4,500 yards with a 29-to-8 touchdown-to-interception ratio, supported by Dameon Pierce's effective ground game. Kansas City, while dominant at home and averaging 28.3 points per game, has struggled to cover large spreads this season (7-9 ATS) and faces a Texans defense ranked in the top 10 for third-down and red zone efficiency. With Houston's ability to control the tempo and pressure the Chiefs' offensive line, they have a strong chance to keep the game close. Projected score: Chiefs 27, Texans 21. The public is slightly favoring the Chiefs but nearly split down the middle on both money and total bets at 52% a piece in favor of the Chiefs to cover. We are riding against the public.

NFL: Washington Commanders @ Detroit Lions - 8:00pm ET

Against the spread (ATS)

Detroit -9

Analysis:

The Lions have demonstrated offensive prowess throughout the season, averaging 28.2 points per game, led by quarterback Jared Goff and a dynamic receiving corps. Their defense has been formidable as well, allowing just 19.8 points per game. Conversely, the Commanders, with rookie quarterback Jayden Daniels, have shown potential but face challenges against top-tier teams. Washington's defense has allowed an average of 24.5 points per game, which could be exploited by Detroit's high-powered offense. Given the Lions' consistent performance and

home-field advantage, they are well-positioned to cover the 9-point spread in this contest. This game is almost split down the middle as well. 53% of the public bets are favoring the commanders to cover so we are slightly against the public on this one too.

Sunday 01/19/2025 LIVE Bets:

NFL: LA Rams @ Philadelphia Eagles - 3:00pm ET

Against the spread (ATS)

Rams +6

Analysis:

The Rams are coming off a dominant 27-9 victory over the Minnesota Vikings, where their defense tied a playoff record with nine sacks. However, tight end Tyler Higbee sustained a chest injury during the game, leading to hospitalization, though he is expected to play against the Eagles. The Eagles, with a strong home record, previously defeated the Rams 37-20 in Week 12. Despite the Eagles' favored status, the Rams' recent defensive performance and the Eagles' offensive challenges, particularly in passing efficiency, suggest that the Rams have a viable chance to cover the +6 point spread. The public bets are on the Rams to cover holding 65% of the bets.

NFL: Baltimore Ravens @ Buffalo Bills - 6:30pm ET

Against the spread (ATS)

Baltimore -1

Analysis:

Sunday's AFC Divisional Round showdown between the Baltimore Ravens and Buffalo Bills pits two MVP frontrunners, Lamar Jackson and Josh Allen, in a battle for a spot in the AFC Championship. Lamar Jackson has powered the Ravens with over 4,000 passing yards, 41 total touchdowns, and his trademark dual-threat ability, making Baltimore one of the league's most dynamic offenses. Meanwhile, Josh Allen has been equally impressive for the Bills, throwing for 35 touchdowns and rushing for eight more, leading Buffalo to a 13-4 record. The Ravens, slight favorites at -1, bring

momentum after a dominant defensive performance and a previous 35-10 victory over Buffalo in Week 4. While Buffalo's defense has improved with key players returning, Baltimore's offense, bolstered by Derrick Henry's consistent rushing attack, gives them an edge. With both MVP-caliber quarterbacks aiming to prove their worth on the playoff stage, the Ravens' balance and prior success against Buffalo make them a strong pick to cover the spread in this highly anticipated showdown. The public is almost split down the middle just like our picks on Saturday. 51% of the bets are on the ravens to cover.