

## 71B-005 Belair Stables (NR)

2835 Belair Drive Bowie (City of Bowie)

Built in 1907, this U-shaped stable building with an arched entryway was built of local sandstone; brick shed rows containing a tack room and stalls extend at both ends. The picturesque structure was built by James T. Woodward in 1907 and enlarged by his heir, William Woodward, Sr. It was home to the famous racehorses Gallant Fox and Omaha. Nashua, bred here by William Woodward, Jr., was 1955's Horse of the Year. Belair Stable symbolizes the Belair estate's association with thoroughbred race horses for more than two centuries. It was listed in the National Register of Historic Places in 1973 and is open to the public as a museum.