



## Galaxy Road North Forest Remnant

**Site Number:** SNA652  
**Ecological District:** Otanewainuku  
**Source of Information:** Shaw and Beadel (1998)  
**Digital Scale:** 1:2,000  
**Data Source:** RDAM 2006  
**Regional Council:** Bay of Plenty  
**1998 Site Number:** NHS No. 652  
**Current Tenure:** Unprotected  
**Site Area:** 44.8 ha  
**Altitude Range:** 540-560 m  
**Bioclimatic Zone:** Lowland  
**Grid Reference:** NZTM E1870152, N5788993

VEGETATION		LANDFORM	EXTENT
CODE	TYPE		
1	(a) Tawa-kamahi-tawari-hard beech-silver beech forest (heavily logged).	Flat	44.8 ha
	(b) Clearing (not mapped).	Flat	

**Indigenous Flora:** No threatened or at risk species (as per de Lange *et al.* 2009) have been recorded from this site.

**Fauna:** Common forest bird species are present. No threatened or at risk species as listed in Hitchmough *et al.* (2007) or Miskelly *et al.* (2008) have been recorded from this site.

**Notes on Overall Condition:** This area was probably originally covered in rimu-red beech/tawa-kamahi-tawari-hard beech-silver beech forest. Logging operations have resulted in a modified forest type as described above.

**Change Relative to Shaw and Beadel (1998):** Unknown, probably little change.

**Threats/Modification/Vulnerability:** Adjacent areas have been planted in pines. Cattle have been grazed in this area. Heavily logged.

**Risk Assessment:** Unknown

**Significance Level:** Interim ranking: Local (Appendix 4 - Table 1 - Criteria 1; Table 2 - Factor L1).

**Significance Justification:** The site is likely to be of local significance as it contains indigenous species associations typical of the Otanewainuku Ecological District.

**Fieldwork Required:** Yes, to assess if site is still significant.

**Notes:** None

**References:** Shaw and Beadel (1998)