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I strongly support this Development Application on health, safety and welfare grounds.

There is no mobile reception in many parts of the RSL ANZAC Retirement Village at Narrabeen, and as a result many residents who require reliable access to alternative means of communication within their homes do not have this basic fundamental right. Rather, they are required to go outside their homes, or even walk up the hill, often in inclement weather or during the night. This is clearly unacceptable for anyone, let alone elderly veterans and their spouses.

The Statement of Environmental Effects states there were three sites proposed for the installation of the tower, with Candidate C chosen as the most viable. It is clear that many of the objectors to this proposal have not either read the Statement or have chosen the pathetic "we are alright Jack view" as they are fortunate to have full mobile services and do not care that many others do not. They also presumably do not care that lives are placed at risk through the existing lack of service whether for medical emergency, or fire, or other urgent need. I note that many of the writers of objections based on environmental grounds will neither see the tower nor recognise the impact will be minimal.

The completion of the tower is an essential service which is urgently required to be completed without delay for the benefit of not only the residents of the RSL ANZAC Retirement Village but also residents in low lying areas in adjoining suburbs. It is long overdue.