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Waratah-Wynyard Mayor Robby Walsh has welcomed today's announcement of upgrades and installations of mobile phone base stations at Elliott, Sisters Beach and Takone.

"Council is looking forward to working closely with the telecommunication providers to ensure these projects are delivered as quickly as possible," Mayor Walsh said.

"This includes the co-location of telecommunication technology with the NBN tower at Sisters Beach, which we see as particularly important for community safety."

Mayor Walsh said Council staff had been working closely with NBN and Telstra for some time about the tower at Sisters Beach particularly.

"I would like to thank the Sisters Beach community for working with Council to highlight the need for this upgrade," Mayor Walsh said.

"Thanks must also go to Federal Member for Braddon Brett Whiteley and Parliamentary Secretary Paul Fletcher for taking the time to come to Sisters Beach to discuss the issue."

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