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Brooms Head to get better mobile reception

MOBILE phone reception problems that have plagued Brooms Head should soon be a thing of the past.

On Tuesday night the Clarence Valley Council approved the construction of a 41.2 metre tower that will service Optus, Telstra and NBN users from a site on the Brooms Head sports grounds.

The tower will be held within a 10m x 8.7m compound.

The tower is part of the Federal Government's mobile blackspot program to improve mobile coverage in rural and remote areas.

The facility is proposed on a cleared site to the rear of the sportsground, about 146m from the entrance to the ground from Heath Street. The land adjoins residential areas to the east, and national park/nature reserves to the south and west.

The applicant will need to apply for and acquire a licence from Crown Lands for the construction of the facility and its ongoing operation.

Release ends.

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