CUNY Faculty Governance Leaders – Prof. Prohaska

1. Discussion of NYS budget for CUNY. Failure of NYS to fund mandatory increases at Senior Colleges likely to result in budget reductions of 3-5%. Also a large reduction in the critical maintenance portion of the capital budget.

2. CUNY is piloting a *Virtual Desktop Infrastructure* that would make programs such as SPSS, SAS, available remotely. Pilot will allow 3000 simultaneous users but how to scale up is still an issue.

3. Draft policy concerning faculty/departments using texts/materials authored by those faculty/departments discussed.

4. CUNY Report on the Beach Sciences released. Will distribute to appropriate chairs and post.