Pan Left Productions Presents  A DOCUMENTARY BY J.M. ARAGÓN

UNDER ARPAIO

IN ARIZONA THE TOUGHEST FIGHT IS AGAINST THE TOUGHEST SHERIFF

Thursday, October 25, 2012
ENG Room 189
4:00pm-6:00pm

Movie Presentation followed by a discussion with the director of the documentary, Jason Michael Aragón

About the Documentary
Under Arpaio shows the grassroots resistance to Maricopa County, Arizona’s Sheriff Joe Arpaio who prides himself on being the “toughest sheriff in America”. Arpaio prides himself on immigration raids on migrant and Latino neighborhoods, human rights violations in his jails and wasting hundreds of millions of taxpayer dollars. Under Arpaio features the grassroots activists from low-income migrant communities, the attorneys, reporters, elected officials, and indigenous people who speak truth to power.

About the Director
Producer/Director Jason Michael Aragón has lived his entire life along the U.S./Mexico border region and is familiar with the subversion of perspective and reality in the media toward Latinos and Southwest culture. He’s produced and directed several documentary videos in an attempt to bring forth those unrecognized perspectives and expose the social cost of U.S. immigration/border policy. In 2006 his documentary PRESENTE was a finalist in the Arizona International Film Festival. In 2008 his short Palestine En Solidaridad was accepted into SXSWclick Fest and the AFI Film Festival.